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POLITICAL NOTES.

—The Grand Jury of Schuylkill county has found a true bill against the county commissioners for charging about eight prices for building a barn on the alms-house property.

—Virginia holds an election on the 27th inst., for county and town officers. The elections will possess no special political significance, since the issues are mainly local in character.

—Susan B. Anthony says there are 600,000 professional drunkards in the United States, and that one woman in seventeen is married to such an artist. She never would do it herself though.

—Governor Allen, of Ohio, has appointed a Democratic editor as Gas Commissioner for the State. He knows nothing about the manufacture of illuminating gas, but then he is great on the other sort.

—Although the State election does not come off until October, the Iowa Republicans are already preparing for the fall campaign. They have called their State Convention to meet in the latter part of June.

—The chronic political disease known as Ignatius Donnelly has broken out again in Minnesota. His objective point, this time, is the Governorship, and he is going for the Democratic nomination 'via' the Grange.

—A Western exchange says: "Every prominent Reform paper of Kansas is either dead or gone back to Democracy." What else was to be expected? "The dog will return to its vomit, and the sow to her wallowing in the mire."

—It is reported that ex-Senator Pomeroy is preparing to settle down in Kansas and devote himself exclusively for the next two years to manipulating the political slate so as to secure his election as United States Senator vice Harvey, whose term of service expires March 3, 1877.

—"The True Southern," a Rebel sheet published in Columbia, South Carolina, closes a long editorial abusive of the North, by expressing the hope that South Carolinians, will "possess sufficient self-respect to prevent them from taking any part in the Centennial celebration next summer," "that they will refuse to debase themselves, their section and their own proud lineage by aiding in glorifying the Livingstons and Adams of the North, at the expense of the Carrols, Rutledges and Washingtons of the South.'

—The Pittsbugh *Post* says the decision of the Democratic Governor and Council of New Hampshire that the votes cast for "NATT HEAD," the Republican Senator from the Second district, were to be treated as blanks, was "in strict accordance with the law of the State." This being the case, that paper ought to insist that the Governor shall withhold the certificate of election from "FRANK JONES," the Democratic Congressman-elect in the Fifth district, who was christened "BENJAMIN FRANKLIN," and award it to his unsuccessful Republican competitor. For 'law' is no respecter of person.

THE RING MANIPULATIONS.

It has always seemed very strange to us that the Democratic party of this county, and especially the people of Pennsvalley, would consent to be controlled, and their nomination set up for them year after year, by a little ring here in Bellefonte. But this is what the ring has been doing in the past, and they expect to meet with equally good success this fall. In speaking with one of the gentlemen of this fraternity, who claims to hold the Pennsvalley Democracy in their hands, or carry them in their pockets, we made the remark, that they seemed to have made up their minds who would be the candidates this fall. He answered, that they had, for all the positions worth having; that there were two or three of the most unimportant upon which they had not fully made up their minds. We suggested some men, whom we thought would be strong men. He replied, "I do not know as to their strength, but they will not be the people's candidates." "People's candidates" was the name by which he designated the candidates of the ring.

Last week we showed our readers how the claims of John Barnhart were being set aside. The same game has been played upon another ambitious candidate, John Spangler of Centre Hall. If our readers will refer to the REPUBLICAN of more than a year ago, while Jack Spangler was an attachee of the *Watchman*, they will find that we made the assertion, that Jack would be the next Democratic candidate for district attorney, against the pretensions of the then incumbent Mr. Potter, and that this job was being set up by the ring in order to crowd off Jack's father in his pretensions to the position of sheriff. This assertion of ours was considered very wild at the time, as Jack had not yet been admitted to the bar; but shortly after he was admitted, and in the fall he was a candidate, as we had predicted, against Potter, who, according to the usages of the party, was entitled to the nomination. It will be but a short time now when the second part of our prophecy will be proven correct, and John Spangler will not be the candidate for sheriff. Does not this fully demonstrate how deep laid are the schemes of this ring, and how far ahead they lay their plans? We might go on and state why John Spangler cannot be the candidate for sheriff, but that would be of no consequence. We only want to show to the people of Pennsvalley how they are used—how they are the pliant tools of a ring, and how like plastic putty they are moulded into shape at every succeeding election. Not that John Spangler or John Barnhart would be the choice of the Democracy, even if they were left free to make their own nominations; but as it is with John Barnhart and John Spangler, so it is with every candidate who is not a pliant tool of this infamous ring. Is it not a pertinent question to ask why these men seek this power? Why they resort to every device to mould the people of Pennsvalley to their purpose? Why do they advance the son to defeat the father? Why have they promised all the offices ahead for fifteen years, and to men that they can use? There can be but one answer to this question, viz: That a few men get all the "loaves and fishes," and the balance are fed on promises, while that which is for the interest of the people is not thought of at all. Will the people continue to be duped in this way? We shall see.

ROBBED.—On Thursday night last, the ticket offices at Howard and Beech Creek were both broken into and robbed. Something over six dollars was taken at Howard and about the same amount from the Beech Creek office. Everything was overhauled by the robbers in both offices, and tickets were scattered around in profusion.

——Andrew Fetzer, one of the oldest and best citizens of Calvert, Boggs twp., died at the advanced age of eighty-seven years. He was one of the first settlers among the Ridges and leaves many relatives and friends to mourn his loss.

LET THE DEAD REST.

It is about time the Republicans of Centre county were looking about them for good men to run on the county ticket this fall, and it is well enough to remember, that every good man is not an available man, and will not make a strong candidate. There is a class who consider themselves good men, and *are* good men, but they are too good to take any interest in politics. They pride themselves upon their eminent respectability and their standing in society; think their names are sufficient to insure success to a ticket, and look upon political effort as rather compromising their position in society. The people want working men—"men of the people and for the people." The party wants, needs, and must have, good, live men—not dead ones. Corpses, however respectable, are not the best things to ornament a political household with, however indispensable they may be at a first-class funeral, or to fill up a respectable grave yard. If the Republicans bring out their best men this fall, we believe that the people who are tired of set ups and ring rule, will, without respect to party, give them a cordial support. But if we would have the people with us, we must let the people do the work, and those candidates that are put in nomination must be taken, because the people want them, and not because they are the friends of either this or that man. We never have noticed among the Republicans of this county a disposition to disregard the will of the majority, or to form rings to subvert the will of the people, although the *Watchman* often has charged them with such motives and actions. But it is always the thief himself who is the loudest to cry, "stop thief," in order to divert attention from himself. There is not a worse ring rooster in this State than Meek, and therefore he is always suspicious that others are guilty of similar acts.

BOROUGH TAXES.

Several weeks ago we called the attention of the people to the fact, that we are paying six times as much for collecting taxes as there is any need for. It would naturally be supposed that such a statement in the papers of the town (the *Watchman* published a similar statement) would have led to some inquiry, especially as the town is deeply in debt, and every effort should be made to save as much as possible in all proper and legitimate methods of saving. But as far as our observation has gone, instead of any interest in this matter being excited, it failed to create a ripple, and seemingly, the people have no more interest in this matter than they would in an affair which concerned only the people of the flowery kingdom of China. Our borough council are making an honest effort to cut down expenses in a great many ways, and are refusing to do many things almost absolutely to the comfort of our citizens; but we suppose they do not feel at liberty to institute so radical a reform as has been proposed in the matter of the collection of taxes, without some assurance that it will meet the approval of the people. If, after a plain statement of our present extravagant way of collecting taxes has been made in both town papers, the people take no interest in the matter, we cannot be surprisd if the council keep on in the same old way and pay fifteen hundred dollars for the same service, which men, able to give ample security for the faithful performance of the work, stand ready to do for two hundred dollars. Here is an opportunity to save over one thousand dollars to our borough every year, in one little item, which, although trifling in itself, is important after all, because extravagance in one thing leads to extravagance in other matters. We had better save this sum every year and devote it to some project for the better protection of our town against fire. As things are now, we are at the mercy of the fire fiend. Such a day as when the Osceola fires were raging, if a fire should start in Bellefonte, it would lay our beautiful city in ashes in less than six hours. Our water works would be a very poor dependence to avert the calamity. But yesterday, our neighbor, who lives on Penn street, informed us that he had not had a drop of water since last fall, except what he had brought from a lower point on Howard street, about five hundred yards away. A member of Mr. Galbraith's family, living on Howard street, informed us that they did not have water one third of the time, and that all their neighbors are in the same suffering condition. Ask any of the dwellers on Curtin street, and they will tell you the same story. These places named are fast building up, and will soon be as compactly built as any other part of the town. Suppose a fire started in any of the localities named—no water! What could be done to stop a fire? and when it reached lower parts of the town, where water was to be had, it would have gained such headway that no power on earth could save us from complete destruction, except it were a direct interposition of Providence, and past experience teaches us that the Governor of the Universe seldom runs to fires. But to be serious, these suggestions are worth attention, and the people should take an interest in the matter. The council are only your servants. Tell them what must be done, and there is no danger but what they will do it.

NO BETTER THAN THE REST.

It is now hinted, and not in whispers either, that Governor Tilden's recent pardon of Ingersoll, the accomplice of Tweed and other members of the Tammany gang, was a fraud. Tilden, at the time, justified his action on the ground that the pardon was necessary to enable Ingersoll to testify against Peter B. Sweeny and other sharers in the ill-gotten swag, with a view to compelling them to disgorge. But it now seems that the suits have been abandoned because Sweeny's friends threatened to show in evidence in the case, that part of the money stolen from the city passed into the hands of Tilden, as Chairman of the Democratic State Committee, and that he must have known that no such large amount of money obtained honestly, could be contributed by the parties who paid the money over to him. This, at least, is the public rumor, and it certainly derives a color of truth from the fact, that not a syllable has been heard concerning these suits, or the intention to press them, for weeks past. The matter carries with it its own comment.—Pittsburg *Commercial*.

Ah! ha! so! ho! this valiant Democratic reformer, who was to be a candidate for President, is no better than a common thief, after all. It is too bad. We are really sorry that there is not at least one honest leader,—a prominent Democrat, who is an honest man, would be such a rarity. But alas, for our hopes; Governor Tilden is no better than the rest of them.

THE anti-Meek wing of the Democratic party of Centre county, have met with a significant victory over the would be boss, in the late appointment of Major Harry Forster, to a fourteen hundred dollar clerkship, in the office of General McCandless, Secretary of Internal affairs, at Harrisburg. It appears, that Meek and his wing, solicited the appointment of Joe. W. Furey, who would represent the *Watchman* faction. But the appointment was "not for Joseph!" Not because he was not competent; not because he was not deserving; but because of his association, which, in our judgment, was a most satisfactory and sufficient reason. It is true, that Furey has been furnishing the brains for the *Watchman* during many years, and is really entitled to the patronage that the party has to bestow in that direction; but the party is becoming suspicious, and hesitates to dispense patronage that will accrue to the benefit of Meek or his followers. This seems to be reasonable, for it is well known that Meek never condescends to assist a friend, under any circumstances, unless he is certain, that such assistance will ultimately inure to his own personal benefit. We are informed, that he expected Furey, in the event of his appointment, to perform his duties as clerk, and do a liberal share of the writing for the *Watchman*, gratis, simply because he, Meek, asked for the appointment. This was a nice little game to have the *Watchman* edited at the public expense, which to the credit of the powers that be, has been nipped in the bud.

DECORATION DAY.—Arrangements have been fully made for the due observance of Decoration Day, which comes on Saturday next, the 29th inst., in all parts of the county where soldiers graves are found. From Philipsburg, Milesburg and Boalsburg we hear that unusual interest is being taken in the preparation for the proper observance of the day. Captain Barger, commander of Post Bayard, has issued the following circular:

BAYARD POST, No. 90. G. A. R.

TO THE CITIZENS OF BELLEFONTE: In accordance with the established custom of our association, the members of this Post, together with other organizations of this place, will assemble on Saturday, May 29, at 3 o'clock, P. M., to decorate the graves of our fallen comrades. We earnestly call upon the ladies of Bellefonte and vicinity to assist us in this our annual tribute to the memory of Centre county's dead soldiers, by furnishing boquets, floral wreaths and other suitable decorations. We will trust to our patriotic ladies to furnish these, and request that they be left at the room under the First National Bank, formerly occupied by John I. Rankin, on the morning of the 29th, at or before 12 M. R. B. BARGER, Post Commander.

COW KILLED.—The freight train which left Tyrone on Monday, run by conductor Given, ran over and killed a cow, on the railroad a short distance below the limits of Bellefonte borough. The facts, as stated to us by reliable men, show that the engineer, whoever he is, was most desirous of killing the cow. The train was light, and could easily have been checked, but the engineer turned on the steam and chased the cow, vigorously and furiously, until the poor creature was killed. We can produce a number of witnesses who will testify, that there was not the least danger of killing the cow if the engineer had not seemed determined to do so. There was no special time for the train to make, and there can be no excuse whatsoever for the inhuman conduct of the engineer. We hope the Penn. Railroad Co. will give this matter some attention. It does not appear to be the function of an engineer to watch for cattle upon his line, and then use every means in his power to take their lives.

——Remember the County Sabbath School Convention to be held in Unionville on Thursday and Friday of the present week. It is intended to make this the best meeting of Sunday School workers ever held in the county. Very thorough preparations have been made. Those who desire conveyance from Bellefonte on Thursday or Friday morning are requested to leave their names at H. Y. Stitzer's Book Store early as possible.

——When you see a man sitting along Spring Creek, holding a fishing rod, and intently watching the current playing with his baited hook, you should not ply him with questions. Besides diverting his attention from his line, he may have to remove a hand full of worms from his mouth to answer you, and that annoys him.

——A little girl named Garbrick, while on her way to school in Marrion township one day recently, was attacked by a buck sheep in the public road, which butted her till she was quite seriously injured. Had it not been for the timely assistance of the teacher, the child might have been fatally injured.

——Fires have been raging for the last ten days on the mountains in all parts of the country. Immense damage has been done to timber, and property of all kinds. Everybody has been wishing for rain but up to this date, Saturday afternoon, the air has been parched and dusty with no signs of rain.

——Parade of the P. O. S. of A, Camp 234, Saturday afternoon and evening at Eagleville. The M., F.C., could not participate as he had to attend to a new recruit who was determined to march without regalia.

——Our thanks are due to our regular correspondant "W" of Snow Shoe for prompt and correct information in regard to the recent fire.

STATE ITEMS.

—The court house at Lebanon is to be enlarged and improved.

—The new Masonic Hall at Sharon, was dedicated on the 14th inst.

—Mr. and Mrs. Kloffenstein, of Sharpsville, have lost three children, their all, from scarlet fever, in less than a week.

—On Saturday, two children of Adam Walter, of Union County, were killed by two runaway horses which their father was driving.

—A ten year old son of Marvin McClellan, of Washington township, Erie county, was killed on Tuesday evening, by being thrown from a wagon and run over.

—The route of the People's Freight Railway, west of the Susquehanna, has been fully determined upon, and the survey will be completed this summer.

—The Presbyterian church was sold at auction in Franklin, last week, and was knocked down at fourteen dollars. Gospel shops are coming down.

—Hugh McWilliams died in Titusville on the night of the 13th inst., of hemorrhage, brought on by a dose of poison taken on the 6th inst., for the purpose of committing suicide.

—Margaret Donaldson is in jail in Philadelphia, on a charge of killing her infant daughter by giving it alcoholic stimulants. Margaret was drunk, herself, when she administered the poison.

—An Erie mother, accompanied by a policeman, visited a house of ill-fame, got admitted, collared her two sons, aged twenty-four and nineteen years, respectively, and marched them home, much to the chagrin of the wayward youths.

—The new United Brethren church, at Sanborn, in Woodward township, Clearfield county, will be dedicated to the worship of God on Sunday, June 6, 1875. Rev. J. A. Clem, assisted by one or two other ministers, will conduct the services.

—Mrs. Elizabeth Reader died at McEwinsville, the other day, aged eighty-two years. She had lived in that place since 1815, the date of her marriage. She leaves eight children, fifty grandchildren, twelve great-grandchildren, and four great-great-grandchildren. "Great, great Cæsar!"

—A little child of George Rose, of Lake twp., Mercer county, while playing in the yard, the other day, was attacked by an old sow, and but for the timely interference of a faithful dog, would doubtless have been torn to pieces. Its injuries are not considered serious.

—On Tuesday of last week the road bed of the Salisbury and Baltimore Railroad, in Somerset county, was sold at trustee's sale. General A. H. Coffroth became the purchaser, the consideration being $75,000. It is stated that efforts will be made to complete the road at an early day.

—A Lehigh county farmer of a superstitious turn of mind, disgusted with the backward spring, conceived the idea that a petition with two hundred singers, addressed to the Almighty, would bring better weather. Singularly enough, he was successful in securing the signatures.

—Uneasy lies the head infested by the newspaper maggot. Colonel W. W. Brown, of Bellefonte, will issue the first number of the "*Industrial Advocate*" on June 10. It will be run in the interest of the farmer, mechanic and laboring men of that county, and all classes of productive industry.—*Commercial*.

—The Hollidaysburg *Standard* is in possession of a copy of the *American Eagle*, a four column newspaper published in Huntingdon in 1811. In size it is 19 by 22 inches, and the name of the editor and publisher, G. W. P. Buttler, appears under the heading of the journal. There is only one notice in the copy, and it informs the public that "Rev. John D. Arnand will preach in Petersburg on September 22nd, in the morning."

—The train that carried the New York and New England merchants to Philadelphia, to see how the Centennial preparations were progressing, made the run between the two cities in one hour and forty-eight minutes. The distance is ninety-six miles, and the average rate of speed nearly a mile a minute. It is said that the Pennsylvania Railroad Company design running express trains at this speed between the two cities during the Centennial.

—The bonded indebtedness of the Jamestown and Franklin Railroad Company is $900,000, annual interest $67,200, gross earning of the road for year 1874, $228,880, forty per cent. of which, amounting to $91,552, the Lake Shore and Michigan Railway Company pay to the former as rental, after deducting interest on bonded debt, which would show a net profit to the Jamestown and Franklin Railway Company of $14,352, for the year.

IS YOUR LIFE WORTH 10 CENTS?—Sickness prevails everywhere, and everybody complains of some disease during their life. When sick, the object is to get well; now we say plainly that no person in this world that is suffering with Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint and its effects, such as Indigestion, Costiveness, Sick Headache, Sour Stomach, Hearts burn, Palpitation of the heart, Depressed Spirits, Billiousness, &c., can take GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER without getting relief and cure. If you doubt this go to your Druggists, F. P. GREEN, and J. Zeller & Son, and get a Sample Bottle for 10 cents and try it. Regular size 75 cts. Two doses will relieve you.

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BELLEFONTE REPUBLICAN

Poetry.

LIFT UP A MAN WHEN HE'S DOWN.

What legions of friends always bless us,
When golden success lights our way!
How they smile as they softly address us,
So cordial, good-natured and gay!
But, oh, when the sun of prosperity
Has set, then how quickly they frown
And cry out in the tones of severity,
Kick the man—don't you see he is down?

What though, when you know not a sorrow,
Your heart was as open as day,
And your friends, when they wanted to borrow,
You'd oblige, and ne'er ask them to pay;
What though not a soul you e'er slighted,
As you wandered about through the town
Your friends become very near sighted,
And don't seem to see you when down.

When you're up you're loudly exalted,
And traders all sing out your praise;
When you're down you have greatly defaulted,
And they really "don't fancy your ways."
Your style was tip-top when you'd money,
So sings every sucker and clown;
But now—'tis exceedingly funny—
Things are altered "because you are down."

Oh, give me the heart that forever
Is free from the world's selfish rust,
And the soul whose high, noble endeavor
Is to raise fallen men from the dust;
And when in adversity's ocean,
A victim is likely to drown,
All hail to the friend whose devotion
Will lift up the man when he's "down."

WATCHING FOR FATHER.

There's a little face at the window,
And two dimpled hands on the pane,
And somebody's eyes are fixed upon
The gate at the end of the lane.

The hills have caught the shadow
Which heralds the coming night,
And the lane, with the flower fringe, grows dim,
To the watcher's anxious sight.

Where half way down,
Like a glittering crown,
A fire-fly band have clustered
Round an aster's leaf—
A royal chief—
A driven herd are mustered.

Away behind,
With busy mind,
But a step that is light and free,
And a sunburnt face,
On which the trace
Of a hard day's work you see.

Comes the farmer home from toil,
Driving the cows before him;
And the child's eyes, strained at the window there,
Were the first in the house that saw him.

Ah! would when the day is done,
And I leave my cares behind me,
I could have such a pair of winsome eyes
Searching the night to find me!

Our Story Teller.

BROTHER AGAINST BROTHER.

An Episode of the American Rebellion.

BY CAPTAIN MAYNE REID.

Twelve months before the first gun was fired at Fort Sumter, bad blood had begun to show itself—even in good society. Not only was it causing strife between cousins and more distant kindred, but in many instances weakening the ties of affection in the family circle itself. Fathers were opposed in opinion to their sons; brothers disputed with brothers; and even sisters took opposite sides on a question among the fair sex hitherto unheard of. It was the question of Northern or Southern ascendency—with the negro for its nucleus.

A dark shadow had come over the cottage hearths of the poor, that could not be kept out of the drawing-rooms of the rich; and into many a home, erst happy and cheerful, a grim skeleton was preparing to enter.

Places of fashionable resort were not free from the infection of these antagonistic ideas; and nowhere were they more rife than at Newport in the state of Rhode Island. This celebrated watering-place, for long years a sort of neutral ground, where the best society of North and South had been accustomed to meet in friendly intimacy became an arena of bitterness. It was a sad change from the pleasant intercourse hitherto there prevailing. The Northern youth bore it with a certain rational calmness; while the more impulsive sons of the South too frequently exhibited a temper the very opposite.

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"But you do not mean it, Mr. Devereux? I'm sure you do not!"

"If ever I meant anything, Miss Winthrop, I mean that."

"And you would absolutely fight against the old Stars and Stripes? That flag, which—if it hasn't 'braved a thousand years the breeze,' will—ay, I'm sure it will!"

"If borne much longer as it is now I'd be among the first to drag it down."

"O mercy! Where is your patriotism? Mr. Devereux, you offend me by speaking so. Do you know, sir, that my ancestors were among the first to raise that flag; and he can be no friend of mine who talks about dragging that flag down."

The two individuals thus differing in political opinions, were a young lady of Boston, Mass., and a young gentleman of Richmond, Va.; both of the best blood in their respective sections of the country; since both were descended from "Signers of the Declaration of Independence."

And it was far from being the first time that the handsome Virginian had held tete-a-tete with Miss Winthrop—one of the most beautiful maidens of Massachusetts.

It would have sorely grieved him to think it should be the last—ay, cut him to the heart of hearts; for his was in the keeping of Adeline Winthrop as he fondly fancied hers was captive to him. In this fond fancy he was mistaken, and little dreamt at that moment how near he was to discovering his mistake.

Feeling confident of possession, the last speech of the young lady nettled him. The emphasis on the word 'friend' was significant of a relationship nearer and dearer; and pointed directly to him, self. So, thought he, and so thinking his rejoinder, instead of being conciliatory, was tinged with a tone of defiance.

"Indeed!" he replied, pettishly, "I believe my ancestors had also something to do with the raising of that flag. What matters, now that it is becoming soiled by rank abolitionism, and carried by your scum of Puritans."

"Hold, Mr Devereux!" exclaimed the young girl, blushing red as she interrupted him. "You forget that I have myself Puritan blood in my veins? Though we may have changed far from the stern, simple standard of our forefathers, their cause, at least, was a good one. And was it not the same as that of the Huguenots, from whom you claim descent?"

"The Huguenots were gentlemen."

"You do well to use the past tense, Walter Devereux, while thus speaking of your ancestors! I shall not be so severe upon them as to say their sons have all degenerated. There are gentlemen among them still. Yonder is one."

The Virginian turned quickly on his heel, with a black look upon his brow. He beheld a young officer, wearing the shoulder-straps of a lieutenant, and the uniform of the United States Artillery—a corps of which was at the time stationed at Newport. The officer was his own brother!

Strange to say the shadow upon Walter Devereux's brow did not disappear; even after his brother had come up to the porch, and saluted the lady by his side. It became darker as the conversation continued.

"I'm sure the lieutenant does not share your sentiments?" said Miss Winthrop, interrogatively.

"What sentiments?" asked the youth newly arrived.

"It's the old story between North and South. Walter says, if things go much further he'd take pleasure in pulling down the 'star-spangled banner.' Nay, he'd be accounted the first to do it! You would be among the last. Would you not, Harry?"

"Miss Winthrop, the button upon my coat should be a sufficient answer to your interrogatory. I'll stay true to the old flag, if it should lose me every friend I've got."

"Bravo!" cried the Boston beauty, springing up from her rocking-chair and stamping her little foot triumphantly on the planks of the piazza, "There's one you won't lose by it: that's Aldeline Winthrop!"

"Since you're so well agreed," said Walter Devereux, biting his lips with chagrin, "I can't do better than leave you alone. It would spoil the sport of such a pair of negro-loving lambs were a Southern wolf to remain in their company. Good-day, Miss Winthrop! I hope you won't make my brother quite so 'black' as yourself!"

A cry of indignation came from the girl.

"For shame, Walter," interposed the lieutenant. "If you were not my own brother——"

Walter did not wait to hear the threat. With a sombre scowl he had hurried down the steps, and on over the lawn, in the direction of the "cliffs."

On reaching them, at the head of the sloping ravine, he did not go down; only so far as to conceal the greater part of his person. There, screened by some bushes, with an opera-glass to his eye, he remained, his gaze earnestly fixed upon the pair from whom he had parted.

Still darker grew his face—still whiter his lips—as he saw his brother take hold of Adeline Winthrop's hand, and imprint upon it a kiss.

There was no show of resistance. The soft, tapering fingers had been yielded.

With a dire thought in his heart, and a wild word upon his lips, Walter Devereux returned to his hotel.

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Twelve months after the incident related, a military encampment stood upon the banks of one of Virginia's largest rivers, with the marquee of a general in its midst. Seated inside this, was the commander-in-chief of the Federal army; while standing before him was a young officer in artillery uniform with the double-barred straps of a captain upon his shoulders. The latter was Harry Devereux—late lieutenant—just promoted for a dashing feat with his battery of light guns.

He had entered the tent in obedience to a summons; and having saluted the commander-in-chief, stood waiting the word. The two were alone; the orderly who ushered in the young officer having retired.

"You are Captain Devereux?" said the general, putting aside the papers with which he had been occupied. "Captain Harry Devereux of the—the Light Battery?"

"I am. You sent for me, general?"

"I have, Captain Devereux. There is reason to believe that a large reconnoitering party of the enemy is halted not far off in our front; and it is necessary for me to be sure. It is of the utmost importance to ascertain its exact position as also its strength. I want you to discover both, if you can. I've been told that you are well acquainted with the country around here. Is that so?"

"I was born and brought up in it, general."

"That is my reason for employing you on this duty," rejoined the general, "though some might think it a reason for not doing so," he added, with a significant smile.

The young officer bowed, but without making other answer. Had the general known the sacrifices he had already sustained by fighting on the Northern side—a complete ostracism from friends, family, and home—he would have had no scruples about reposing confidence in him.

Nor had he; for, without asking further explanation he proceeded; "You will take twenty mounted men with you—your own artillerists will be best—and ride up the main road. Steal quietly out of camp, and feel your way with caution. Go as far as you can with safety, and have a care you don't get captured by a picket or patrolling party of the enemy."

Captain Devereux smiled assuringly.

"There wont be much danger of that, general," he answered. "I may get killed, but not captured. In my case death would be preferable to being made prisoner."

"I understand you, captain. No doubt you will act with due discretion. Get as near the enemy's lines as possible and after you have finished your reconnoisance, lose no time in reporting to me. Good night and God speed you!"

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In twenty minutes after Captain Devereux had parted from the commander-in-chief, he rode out through the lines of the Federal encampment, twenty artillerists, equipped to act as light cavalry, filing "in twos" behind him.

The sun had already sunk beyond the dark wall of forest that skirted the horizon; while the moon, in mid heaven, was mirrored on the broad bosom of the Potomac.

It was a night far from favorable for a reconnoisance, such as that Harry Devereux had been commanded to make. The clear moonlight would be to the advantage of a picket in ambush, and against a party making approach. And the moon coursing near the zenith flung her beams fair upon the road, along which the artillery officer had been directed to make the scouting excursion. It was a broad highway—one of the main routes running north and south through the State of Virginia. A little later, and the tall trees growing on each side would throw their shadows over it, making the passage more safe.

After advancing nearly three miles along it, Captain Devereux saw the risk he was running. Should there prove to be a party of the enemy in front and at rest, they could not fail to have warning of his approach. The trampling of his horses would betray him.

Thus apprehensive, the young officer halted his little troop at a turning. He was reflecting whether he should not stay till the moon sank a little lower when a sound, coming from the opposite side, interrupted his reflections. It was the tramp of horses' hoofs, as of a troop going at a trot; and that they were armed men, could be told by the clash of steel scabbards striking against the stirrups.

"A patrol of revel cavalry!" whispered the sergeant at his side.

About this there could be no doubt. The direction from which they approached made the thing not only probable, but certain.

Halted upon higher ground, the artillery officer commanded a view of the approaching horsemen. As near as he could tell they numbered about fifty sabres.

Though with only twenty men at his back, Harry Devereux did not think of retreating. Instead of being surprised by a picket, he was himself the party in ambush; and this advantage encouraged him to keep this ground.

The Confederates came on without fear. Knowing themselves nearly three miles from the Federal camp, they had no expectation of encountering an enemy.

They were only made aware of one when a horse neighed loudly in their front; the neigh being quickly followed by some half dozen others, and responded to by the horses they were riding. And then, before the shrill echoes had died away in the woods, they were taken up by sounds more indicative of deadly strife—by a volley from each side continued in straggling shots.

Several Confederate saddles were emptied; and the "cavaliers" in gray were inclined to turn round and retreat; when one who appeared to be their leader, and whose actions proved him to have the right, drawing his sabre, and standing up in the stirrups, cried in a loud voice

"Cowards! Would you dare to retreat? I'll cut down the first that turns back on me. Don't you hear by their shots there's not more than a dozen of them? After me! let your cry be 'Death to Yankee Abolitionist!'"

"The same to traitors and rebels!" responded Devereux, as with sabre sloped and shining in the moonlight, he spurred boldly out into the road, followed by his artillerists.

In ten seconds' time the opposing parties were face to face; and, after a rapid exchange of pistol-shoots, came the clashing of sabres.

It would have been an unequal contest—twenty against more than twice the number, and the combatants on both sides equally brave. But the first volley from the artillerists aimed with the advantage of an ambush, had thinned the ranks of the Confederates, and otherwise disconcerted them. When the strife came hand to hand, they fought feebly, and under a foreboding of defeat.

To this there was an exception—he who had pronounced the defiant speech, and led them on to the encounter. Mounted upon a powerful horse, he had shot far in front of his followers, and was looking for the leader of the opposing troop—as if the latter alone were worthy of his steel. He had no difficulty in finding him; for Harry Devereux, as if stirred by a similar instinct, was searching for him!

Soon their horses, spurred to the charge, dashed against one another; recoiled from the shock; and then at the second meeting, the sabres of the riders, striking together, commenced their deadly play. And while sparks flew from both blades, that mocked the pale shimmer of the moon, their followers closed alongside in strife equally earnest.

The combatants, at first grouped together, soon spread into a wider circle, extending along the road and the broad waste that bordered it. Each with his own antagonist having enough to do, the leaders were left to themselves.

Between these, it was in reality a duel; a duel with sabres, and on horse back! And with deathlike earnestness was it fought; each so striving to kill the other that not a word was spoken between them.

All at once came a pause in the combat. Captain Devereux, hitherto fighting with his face to the moon, and under a disadvantage, had spurred past his antagonist, and wheeling suddenly round, obtained the superior position. With his sabre drawn back for a stroke, he was about bringing it down on the shoulder of the Confederate officer, when his blow was stayed, as if his arm had been suddenly striken with palsy!

The moonlight shining full upon his adversary's face told a terrible tale. He was fighting with his own brother!

"My God!" he gasped, "Walter Devereux! Brother, is it you?"

"It is Walter Devereux," cried the Confederate officer, "but not your brother; nor the brother of any man who wears the Federal blue. Dismount and strip it off; or I shall hack it from you with my sword!"

"O Walter, dear Walter! do not talk thus! I cannot do as you say—I will not! Send your blade through my breast—I cannot kill you!"

"Cannot, cur! You could not if you tried. Walter Devereux was not born to be killed by a renegade to his country least of all by a Yankee Abolitionist!"

"I'm that same," shouted a man on horseback, who had suddenly spurred out from among the trees; and simultaneously with his shout came the report of a pistol.

For a moment the combatants with their horses were shrouded in smoke, then it drifted away, the officer in gray uniform was seen lying lifeless in the road; his horse going in a scared gallop through the trees, along with a score of others that carried riders upon their backs.

The fall of their leader had completed the panic of the Confederates; and those still in the saddle wheeling to the right about, went off in retreat. Besides a dozen or so killed, a like number remained prisoners to the reconnoitering party.

Harry Devereux looked as if he, too, had received his death shot. Dropping down from his saddle, he staggered toward the spot where his brother's body lay, and bent over it with a heart full of agony. He had no need examining it, to tell him it was a corpse. A streak of moonlight slanting through a break between the branches, fell upon glazed eyes, and teeth set in the stern expression of death!

The Union soldiers, at the command of their beloved captain, gave the last rites of burial to the body of his brother. As they followed him back to camp, with hearts full of sympathy for his suffering, they looked more like men returning from a defeat than a victory.

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In the summer of 1866 the fashionable watering-place of Newport, though no longer the resort of so many rich Southerners, was crowded as of yore. The war had come to an end, and the weeping caused by it could not forever endure. There was sorrow around many a desolate hearth, and in many a home for dear ones that were missing, tears still continued to flow. But the bereaved did not show themselves on the shores of Naragansett Bay, amidst the joy there abounding.

There were no signs of sadness in that spot where Adeline Winthrop first appeared with Walter Devereux. In the same piazza where she had received the two brothers—one now dead—she might have been seen with the one who survived seated by her side. He was no longer a simple lieutenant of artillery, but the commander of a division of the United States Army.

And she was no longer Adeline Winthrop, but the wife of "General Devereux."

INSECTS AND FLOWERS.

In the ninth of a series of valuable papers, communicated by Hermann Mueller, on the fertilization of flowers by insects, to Nature, he shows that butterflies effect the cross-fertilization of Alpine orchids. It seems that from twelve to fifteen per cent. of the orchids of the lowlands are fertilized by Lepidoptera, while from sixty to eighty per cent. of Alpine orchids are fertilized by the same kind of insects. This corroborates, he says, his view that the predominant frequency of butterflies in the Alpine region must have influence on the adaptations of Alpine flowers.

Mueller has also shown the wonderful modification brought about in the legs and mouth parts of bees by their efforts in fertilizing flowers.

Lubbock's charming little book on British wild flowers considered in Relation to Insects, has just appeared. He says that while from time immemorial we have known that flowers are of great importance to insects, it is only comparatively late that we have realized how important insects are to flowers. "For it is not too much to say that if, on the one hand, flowers are in many cases necessary to the existence of insects, insects, on the other hand, are still more indispensable to the very existence of flowers. There has thus been an interaction of insects upon flowers and of flowers upon insects, resulting in the gradual modification of both.

In another place he adopts the startling and probably correct view that to bees and other insects "we owe the beauty of our gardens, the sweetness of our fields. To them flowers are indebted for their scent and color—nay, for their very existence, in its present form. Not only have the present shape and outlines, the brilliant colors, the sweet scent, and the honey of flowers been gradually developed through the unconscious selection exercised by insects, but the very arrangement of the colors, the circular bands and radiating lines, the form, size, and position of the petals, the relative situations of the stamens and pistil, are all arranged with reference to the visits of insects, and in such a manner as to insure the grand object which these visits are destined to effect."

Lubbock has also continued his observations on the intelligence of insects. He confirms his conclusions presented last year to the Linnæan Society that bees can distinguish colors. He then recounts some experiments on the sense of smell possessed by bees, on the power of recognizing their own companions, and on the different occupations of different bees, mentioning observations which seem to show that the bees act as nurses during the first few weeks, of their life, and only subsequently take to collecting honey and pollen. He also records a number of experiments on ants, which certainly seemed to show that whatever may be the case with bees, ants do possess the power of communicating detailed facts to one another.—*Harper's Magazine.*

The Old Controversy.

Shall our colored people be free or slaves? Strange, after all the blood and treasure spent by the nation to secure their freedom that this should be still a question. But it is, as the following extract from the report of the Congressional Committee on Louisiana, just presented to Congress, shows. The report says: "The laws passed by the Legislature of that State in 1865, '66, and '67, must have been designed to put the negro in a state of practical servitude. 1865, Chap. 10, provided that, under the penalty of fine or imprisonment, no person shall carry fire-arms on the premises or plantation of any citizen, without the consent of the owner, thus depraving the great mass of colored laborers of the State of the right to keep and bear arms, always peculiarly prized and guarded by his white employer. 1865, Chap. 11, punishes by fine and imprisonment the entering upon any plantation without the permission of the owner, thus preventing any person from seeking intercourse with the negro for the purpose of giving him political or other information, except such as his master approve. 1865, Chap. 12, authorizes any Justice of the Peace, on complaint that any person is a vagrant, on summary process to require such person to give bond for his good behavior and future industry for one year. On failing to give such bond, the Justice shall issue his warrant to the Sheriff to hire out such person for twelve months under such regulations as may be made by the municipal authorities, provided that, if the accused be a person who has abandoned his employer before the contract expired, the preference shall be given to such employer of hiring the accused, thus putting it into the power of any local magistrate, on summary process, to remand the laborer to a condition of practical slavery." The report quotes two other acts of the same character, passed in 1865, and also mentions an act of 1867, imposing a poll-tax of fifteen dollars for highway purposes, under which it would be possible to raise $2,612,000 in a single year.

These laws perished with the Government that enacted them, in 1867; but they show the animus of the rebel element now striving, through means of the White League, to gain control of all the Southern States. Let them gain this control, with a President and Congress in sympathy with them, and the present freedom of the colored people would soon be a thing of the past. The old beacon-fires must be kindled. The old liberty guard must shoulder arms once more in defence of the golden rule: "Whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do ye even so to them."

A LETTER TO CARL BLIND ON CATHOLICISM IN ITALY.—We translate from an Italian paper the following letter from Garibaldi to Carl Blind, the leader of the German Democrats:

"MY DEAR FRIEND: I believe there does not exist in all the world a nation so little Catholic as Italy. The Government and the cultivated classes affect a devotion to Catholicism that does not exist. As to the mass of the people, they do not believe in it at all, and in the Papal Church they only see bigots. It would be very difficult to obtain from the Government and the majority of the Chamber a decree for the liberation of the Papacy. Be assured that the great majority of the Italian nation sympathizes with Germany in her energetic war *a outrance* against Jesuitism in all its forms. Yours always,

"G. GARIBALDI."

BESSIE TURNER DISCOUNTED.—A remarkable case of somnambulism occurred at Murfreesboro, a few evenings since. One of the young lady students of the W. F. College during the night got up from her bed, threw over herself a loose wrapper, and started down town. She went into Colonel Vaughan's residence, and into his room, and laid on a lounge. It greatly surprised and frightened the Colonel, though he knew something was wrong, and did not molest the "sleeping beauty." Soon Rev. W. G. Starr was informed where the girl was, and went after her. He took her back to the college and carried her to the bed-room, and ensconced her in bed, and left the room. The young lady, on awakening next morning, knew nothing of where she had perambulated, or anything about her nocturnal visit.—[Weldon N. C. Sentinel.

DAINTY.—Very dainty, fanciful frames for photographs can be made by ingenious fingers by tying and gluing raisin steams together and varnish with common varnish colored with vermilion; they will look almost exactly like coral branches.

GINGERSNAPS.—One heaping cup of flour, one cup of molasses, half a cup of sugar, the same of butter, and half as much of lard, one tablespoonful of salt. Mix all together, knead it stiff, roll thin, and bake moderately.

SCOTCH CAKE.—One pound of brown sugar, one pound of flour, a half pound of butter, two eggs, cinnamon. Roll very thin.

To make labels adhere to tin, use flour paste, with two tablespoonfuls of course sugar to every quart.

THIS summer is to be the great locust season. They were here seventeen years ago.

FARMER JOHN.

Home from his journey Farmer John
Arrived this morning safe and sound.
His black coat off, and his old clothes on,
"Now I'm myself!" says Farmer John;
And he thinks "I'll look around."
Up leaps the dog: "Get down you pup!
Are you so glad you would eat me up?"
The cow lows at the gate to greet him;
The horses prick up their ears to meet him;
"Well, well, old Bay!
Ha, ha, old Gray!
Do you get good feed when I am away?"

"You have not a rib!" says Farmer John;
"The cattle are looking round and sleek;
The colt is going to be a roan,
And a beauty, too! how he has grown!
We'll wean the calf next week."
Says Farmer John, "When I've been off,
To call you again about the trough,
And watch you, and pet you, while you drink,
Is a greater comfort than you can think?"
And he pats old Bay,
And he slaps old Gray;
"Ah, this is the comfort of going away!"

"For after all," says Farmer John,
"The best of a journey is getting home,
I've seen great sights; but would I give
This spot, and the peaceful life I live
For all their Paris and Rome.
These hills for the city's stifled air,
And big hotels all bustle and glare,
Land all houses, and roads all stones,
That deafen your ears and batter your bones?
Would you, old Bay?
Would you, old Gray?
That's what one gets by going away!

"There money is king," says Farmer John;
"And fashion is queen; and it's mighty queer
To see how sometimes, while the man,
Raking and scraping all he can,
The wife spends every year
Enough you would think for a score of wives,
To keep them in luxury all their lives!
The town is a perfect Babylon
To a quiet chap," says Farmer John.
"You see, old Bay,
You see, old Gray,
I'm wiser than when I went away.

"I've found out this," said Farmer John.
"That happiness is not bought and sold,
And clutched in a life of waste and hurry,
In nights of pleasure and days of worry;
And wealth isn't all in gold,
Mortgage and stocks and ten per cent,
But in simple ways, and sweet content,
Few wants, pure hopes, and noble ends,
Some land to till, and a few good friends,
Like you, old Bay,
And you, old Gray,
That's what I've learned by going away."

And a happy man is Farmer John,
O, a rich and happy man is he:
He sees the peas and pumpkin growing,
The corn in tassel, the buckwheat blowing,
And fruit on vine and tree:
The large, kind oxen look their thanks
As he rubs their foreheads and strokes their flanks;
The doves light round him, and strut and coo,
Says Farmer John, "I'll take you too,
And you, old Bay,
And you, old Gray,
Next time I travel so far away!"

TIT-BITS TAKEN ON THE FLY.

A poor relation—Telling an anectode badly.

The path of duty—Through the Custom House.

Reticence may not be considered sound sense, but it is good sense.

Why is a mouse like a load of hay? Because the cat'll eat it.

What did the spider do when he came out of the ark? He took a fly and went home.

Why is a stationer a very wicked man? Because he makes people steel pens and then says they do write.

To get on the wrong tack—Start on a tour of inspection through a newly carpeted bedroom in the dark.

While witnessing a game of base ball out West a boy was struck on the back of his head, the bawl coming out of his mouth.

"I allow that Job was patient," said an old farmer, "but he never seen a determined Shanghai hen sitting on a nest of biled eggs."

"Your feet are very stylish," said a man to his friend, whose feet were covered with bunions. "No, not stylish; but exceedingly nobby," was the good natured reply.

A Boston antiquarian says his eighteen year-old wife is very affectionate, but it puzzles him to understand why she should insist daily on his getting his life insured.

A boy will yell like a tarter if a drop of water gets on his shirt band when his neck is being washed, can crawl thro' a sewer after a ball, and think nothing of it.

A Green Bay couple walked four miles on snowshoes to get married, and it probably won't be over a month before he will tell her to split her own wood if she wants any.

It cost Great Britain two thousand dollars to make the Shah a Knight of the the Garter, but forty cents worth of London gin made him so drunk that he couldn't stand.

"Idiot!" exclaimed a lady coming out of the theatre recently as a gentleman accidentally stepped on her trailing skirt. "Which one of us?" blandly responded the man.

A wealthy Philadelphian who died recently, stipulated in his will that his nearest relative should assassinate the obituary editor of the daily *Ledger* if he made any poetical remarks on the subject.

It is now reported that Ringtown is to have a newspaper. To run a paper profitably at that place, it would require a man who could eat dried apples for breakfast, drink warm water for dinner, and swell up for supper.

A boy found a pocket-book, and returned it to its owner, who gave him a five cent piece. The boy looked at the coin an instant, and then handing it reluctantly back, audibly sighed, as he said, "I can't change it."

"From what you know of him, would you believe him under oath?" "That depends on circumstances. If he was so much intoxicated that he did not know what he was saying, I would; if not I wouldn't."

A Baltimore young woman skated herself through the ice; but as the water was only four feet deep, and she was five feet long, she stood up and informed a young man of what had happened, and he courageously passed her a board.

"May I leave sum tracts?" asked a medical missionary of a lady who responded to his knock. "Leave sum tracts? Certainly you may," said she looking at him most benignly over her specks. "Leave them with your heels toward the house, if you please."

The Columbia (Tenn.) *Herald and Mail* tells of a negro man at that place who weighs 228 pounds and wears No. 17 brogans. If that negro should determine to make a tour of New England, Rhode Island would find her only safety in crawling under a fifty gallon sugar kettle.

"Yes, sir," yelled a preacher in a Dakota church one Sunday morning, "there's more lying and swearing and stealing and general deviltry to the square inch in this here town than all the rest of the American country," and then the congregation got up and dumped the preacher out of the window.

A Frenchman having heard the phrase "I've got other fish to fry," very readily learned its application. One evening, after escorting a young lady home, and being invited to walk in, he thought of the above expression, and excused himself by saying! "I thank you, mum; I must go cook some fish."

A young lady was overheard telling a friend the other evening that she was "dreadfully put out," because her pa had rented a pew in the third row from the pulpit, and she couldn't see the fashions worth a cent without twisting her neck off almost. "There's no pleasure in going to church anymore," she says.

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Vol. 7 No. 9-2m.

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Sour Stomach,

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Impurities of the Blood,

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NERVOUS AFFECTIONS,

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For Internal and External use, the Magnetic Chloroloid is the most wonderful medicine ever offered to the public, for the cure of

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And Pains of all Kinds!

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RAILROADS.

PENNSYLVANIA RAIL ROAD—PHILADELPHIA & ERIE R. R. DIVISION.

WINTER TIME TABLE.

On and after SUNDAY, NOV. 15th, 1874, the Trains on the Philadelphia & Erie Rail Road Division will run as follows:

WESTWARD.

FAST LINE leaves Philadelphia.....12.55 p. m
" " Harrisb'g...5.00 p. m
" " Williamsp't,9.15 p. m
" "arr. at Lock Haven 10.20 p. m
" " " Buffalo.....9.00 p. m
ERIE MAIL leaves Philadelphia.....11.55 p. m
" " Harrisburg.....4.25 a. m
" " Williamsport...8.55 a. m
" " Lock Haven.....9.45 a. m
" " Renovo.....11.10 a. m
" " arr. at Erie.....8.05 p. m
ELMIRA MAIL leaves Philadelphia, 8.00 a. m
" " " Harrisburg.....1.25 p. m
" " " Williamsport.....6.20 p. m
" " arr. at Lock Haven.....7.30 p. m
LOCK HAVEN Accom. leaves Harris'g 9.15 a m
" " " Wmsp't 2.05 p m
" " " leaves Lock Haven 3.10 p m

EASTWARD.

PHILA. EXPRESS leaves Lock Haven6.40 a m
" " " Williamsp't...7.55 a. m
" " arr. at Harrisb'g.....12.10 a. m
" " " Philadelphia....4.15 p. m
ERIE MAIL leaves Erie.....11.20 a. m
" " " Renovo.....5.25 p. m
" " " Lock Haven,9.45 p. m
" " " Williamsp't,10.50 p. m
" " arr. at Harrisburg...2.30 a. m
" " arr. at Phila.....6.50 a. m
FAST LINE leaves Emporium.....8.55 p. m
" " " Renover.....10.40 p m
" " " Lock Haven.....11.55 p m
" " " Williamsport.....1.10 a m
" " arr at Harrisburg.....4.20 a m
" " " Philadelphia.....7.05 a m
DAY EXPRESS leaves Lock Haven.....11.25 a m
" " " Williamsport.....12.25 p m
" " arr at Harrisburg.....4.00 p m
" " " Philadelphia.....7.30 p m

Mail East connect east and west at Erie with L. S. & M. S. R. W. and at Corry with Oil Creek and Allegheny R. R. W.

Mail West with east and west trains on L. S. & M. S. R. W. and at Corry with Oil Creek and Allegheny R. R. W.

Erie Mail and Elmira Mail make close connections at Williamsport with N. C. R. W. trains north, and at Harrisburg with N. C. R. W. trains south.

WM. A. BALDWIN,
Gen'l Sup.

BALD EAGLE VALLEY DIVISION.

STATIONS.	Mail. MLS.	A.M.	Exs. P.M.
Leave Tyrone	-	8 30	6 45
East Tyrone	1	8 37	6 52
Bald Eagle	5	8 46	7 01
Hannah	10	8 58	7 15
Port Matilda	14	9 05	7 23
Martha	17	9 13	7 33
Julian	21	9 22	7 44
Unionville	26	9 32	7 56
Snow Shoe Intersection	29	9 41	8 05
Milesburg	31	9 45	8 10
Arrive Bellefonte	33	9 54	8 19
Leave Bellefonte	33	9 57	8 22
Milesburg	31	10 10	8 35
Curtin	34	10 22	8 45
Mount Eagle	37	10 29	8 52
Howard	40	10 38	9 02
Eagleville	44	10 52	9 13
Beech Creek	46	10 57	9 18
Mill Hall	51	11 12	9 32
Flemington	52	11 17	9 37
Arrive Lock Haven	55	11 22	9 42

RETURN.

Leave Lock Haven	-	9 55	3 15
Flemington	3	10 00	3 21
Mill Hall	4	10 04	3 25
Beech Creek	9	10 19	3 40
Eagleville	11	10 24	3 45
Howard	15	10 38	4 00
Mount Eagle	18	10 47	4 09
Curtin	21	10 54	4 15
Milesburg	24	11 05	4 25
Arrive Bellefonte	26	11 18	4 38
Leave Bellefonte	26	11 21	4 41
Milesburg	24	11 30	4 50
Snow Shoe Intersection	26	11 34	4 54
Unionville	29	11 45	5 04
Julian	34	11 57	5 15
Martha	38	12 08	5 26
Port Matilda	41	12 18	5 55
Hannah	45	12 28	5 44
Bald Eagle	50	12 43	5 58
Vail	52	12 48	6 03
East Tyrone	54	12 53	6 08
Arrive Tyrone	55	1 00	6 15

BELLEFONTE & SNOW SHOE R. R.

Leave Bellefonte	8 10 A.M.	2 25 P.M.
Arrive at Snow Shoe	10 40	5 35
Leave Snow Shoe	9 10	2 25
Arrive at Bellefonte	12 10 P.M.	5 10

The 9 10 from Snow Shoe intersects with the Bald Eagle Express, going west, at Snow Shoe Intersection.

The train leaving Snow Shoe at 2.25 intersects with the Bald Eagle mail west at Milesburg.

DANIEL RHOADS, Supt.

LEWISTOWN DIVISION.

MIFFLIN & CENTRE—EASTWARD.

	Accom. No. 1.	Accom. No. 2.	Accom. No. 3.
LEWISTOWN Ju.	6 50 a m	12 01 p m	4 10 p m
LEWISTOWN	7 10	12 07	4 16
Logan	7 25	12 16	4 24
Yeagertown F.	7 33	12 21	4 25
Mann's F.	7 44	12 28	4 35
Reedsville	7 52	12 33	4 39
Honey Creek F.	8 10	12 44	4 49
Naginy F.	8 20	12 50	4 55
MILROY, Arrive	8 50 a m	12 55 p m	5 00 p m

Returning leave Milroy at 8 50 a. m., 1 20 p. and 5 15 p.m; Reedsville at 9 11 a. m., 2 00 and 5 36 p. m., arriving at Lewistown at 9 40 a. m., 2 55 and 6 05 p. m.

The Mifflin and Centre and Sunbury and Lewistown connect at Lewistown with way passenger and fast lines west, and mail and Cincinnati express east; and at Sunbury with trains on Northern Central, Phila. & Erie, and Hazleton.

P. F. SMITH, Supt.

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" Prize " Maryland Inst., Baltimore	1848
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Remember, the machines are warranted to be *perfectly new, latest improved, and in perfect order.*

OUR ASSOCIATED PRESS LETTER.

PHILADELPHIA, May 26, 1875.

OUR PUBLIC CHARITIES.

There is probably no other city in the world that can boast of as many charitable institutions as Philadelphia, from its local soup-houses, where thousands of hungry and deserving poor are fed daily throughout the long and bitter months of winter, on up to the grandest of our charities—that endowed by Stephen Girard.

The institution that I purpose more particularly to write of in this letter is the Eye and Ear Institute, of the Philadelphia Dispensary, located at Thirteenth and Chestnut streets. It is one of the most youthful of our charitable organizations, but second to none in the measure of its usefulness. It has been in existence but five years, yet during that time it has, through Dr. George Strawbridge, surgeon in charge, and his medical staff of four capable assistant surgeons, treated, 4,169 persons for deseases of the eye, and 1,902 for diseases of the ear, successfully performing 800 operations upon those delicate and sensitive members of the body. Among the latter may be particularized 95 cataract, 83 iridectomy, and 65 strabismus operations. Those of your readers who are M. D's will doubtless best realize the magnitude of this particularization.

The services of the medical staff of this institution is given freely without money and without price, and for the benefit of the laboring classes a daily session, for treatment of cases is held, beginning at 6 P. M. and ending about 7 o'clock; other cases are treated from 11 A. M. to 1 P. M.

In every instance where the poverty of the patient has required it, ward accommodations, free of charge, have been furnished and extended just as freely to the stranger from abroad as to the resident of our own city; in fact the demand for ward treatment is much greater by persons from the interior of the State, and from other States than by our own people.

I mention this charitable institution, of which I am proud, so that if there be any of your readers who, suffering from any dangerous ailment of the eyes or ears, and too indigent to obtain surgical skill at home, they may here find relief without other cost than the price of the passage to and from the Institution.

The Board of managers are among the most honored of our citizens, among them are Wm. F. Griffits, George B. Wood, M. D., John M. Whitall, Thos. Wistar, M. D., John F. Cope, Alex. E. Harvey, and D. Clark Wharton.

I confess I am at a loss to know how the Institution accomplishes so much, as it is without endowment from city, State, or individuals. I imagine, however that the bulk of the voluntary contributions which maintains it comes from its own board of management. Of such I presume, is the kingdom of heaven.

STEPPETH DOWN AND OUT.

Four of the Managers of the House of Correction recently resigned suddenly. The last official act they did was to request a fellow-member of their Board to resign, as his room was better than his company. The advice was unheeded, and Barlow, who was invited to step out, made formal charges of "irregularities," and City Councils, which elected the House of Correction gentlemen, began an investigation, and, notwithstanding this is the whitewashing season of the year, enough slacked lime could not be applied to make these gentlemen white-souled men. Their resignation stops the investigation; the committeemen are saved an unpleasant duty, and these gentlemen of 'character and integrity' maintain their standing in society.

NOT A CANDIDATE.

M. S. Gross Fry was a candidate for State Treasurer, and I believe, had 'the boys' with him, but a little irregularity of an over-issue of about $200,000 worth of Passenger Railroad stock stands in the way of his promotion to the Treasury Department. Well, what is one man's loss is another's gain, and Mr. Fry, who is now in a dreadful stew having withdrawn from the field will materially advance the interests of Mr. Barr, the Pittsburg editor, for the Treasurership.

These 'irregularities' about balance themselves in a political point of view. Mr. Fry is a straightout Bourbon Democrat—whatever that is; and the Managers of the Correction unadulterated Burgundy Republicans.

AGED ONE HUNDRED AND FIVE YEARS.

Mrs. Ellen Hagerty died during the week, at the advanced age of 105 years. She was married in 1790, and became the mother of ten children, the oldest aged eighty four, and the baby sixty years, are both living.

ARRIVAL—DEPARTURE.

Just as I was mailing this letter, the steamship Abbotsford, of the American Line, came into port, bringing 237 passengers. As she came in, the Indiana, of the same line, left for Europe with just 263 passengers and a full cargo of American merchandise. It looks strange to read of more travelers going to Europe than coming to this country, and yet of the number of outward bound are many skilled mechanics going to Europe where wages are comparatiyely higher, and labor in greater demand than here.

THE EX-PRIEST GERDEMAN.

The trial of Father Gerdeman ended in the disagreement of the jury, ten standing in favor of acquittal and two for conviction—of the latter one was a Roman Catholic, and the other a son of Ham. This virtually ends the case so far as the prosecution against Gerdeman for embezzlement is concerned. To me it appears one of the queerest cases on record. The priest it will be remembered, left the city very suddenly leaving behind a note addressed to Bishop Wood, stating that his disbelief in the infallibility of the Pope led him to step down and out of the Romish Church; the following day he was married to the pretty organist of his church, by a Protestant minister over in Jersey City; two days thereafter he started for Cincinnati, and the following week was apprehended just as he and Mrs. G. were stepping aboard of a steamer at Baltimore, bound for Bremen, having taken passage under an assumed name.

When he was brought back he was thrown into jail, and soon came before the court on a habeas corpus. At that hearing it really did look as though he had got away with about $160,000—the amount alleged by Bishop Wood to have been stolen. At this trial, last week, his books were examined by an expert—the Secretary of Bishop Wood—who not only failed to substantiate the charge of embezzlement, but by his sworn exhibit brought the church in debt to Gerdeman to the amount of $10,000. I confess my inability to comprehend the case, and I do not wonder at the darkey standing out three days for conviction. The only clear thing to my mind is, the church has lost a priest a good many people of his flock their greenbacks, and Maggie Wittig, the organist, secured a husband.

Before taking farewell of the Gerdeman case, I would state that Mr. Heverin, counsel for the priest, was fined $100 for insulting language and misbehavior as attorney during the trial.

POLITICAL.

Our delegates to the Republican State Convention, which meets next week, have packed their carpet-bags for a day's pleasure at Lancaster. I am told that the Convention will reiterate its endorsement of Gov. Hartranft for President in 1876, passed so unanimously a year ago. It looks from this stand point as though Hon. B. B. Strang of Tioga, would be nominated for Treasurer of the State, and if so, his nomination would be a concession to Liberal Republicans, as the Liberal Republican party made Strang its candidate for Speaker of the Senate two years ago.

J. W. F.

THE FIRE FIEND!!

Great Fires at Osceola & Houtzdale

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Sixteen Hundred People Homeless.—Great Destruction of Mills and Lumber.

Over $2,000,000 Worth of Property Burned.—The Terrible Fires in the Forests.

The most terrible and sweeping conflagration that ever visited any town, not equalled perhaps by the dreadful destruction of Peshtigo, still fresh in the minds of our readers, swept away the whole of our neighboring town of Osceola, four miles distant, on Thursday. For several days fires had been slowly burning in the woods, as is usual at this season of the year, and on Thursday a breeze sprang up from the West, which gradually grew to be a perfect gale, and before which the little, slow-burning fires rapidly spread until in all directions dense volumes of smoke rolling up to mingle with the clouds, told of the work of destruction begun. By noon the mills in the neighborhood of this place and those above Osceola were all in extreme danger, and many of our citizens and those of Osceola had gone to the assistance of the mill owners. At half past twelve it became apparent to those who were fighting the fire about the mills above Osceola that, at the terrible rapidity with which the forest fire was sweeping towards the town, it would be placed in the greatest danger, and many hastened homeward to be prepared for the worst. But it seemed as though the flames, bent on the destruction of the town had suddenly sprung to work, and driven by the fierce wind they leaped from tree-top to tree-top, and literally rushed with the swiftness of the wind, crackling and roaring with a sound indescribably terrific.—Those only who have seen a large forest fire driven by a gale, can form the slightest idea of the awful fierceness of the flames, not equalled by any burning city where walls necessarily interpose some slight obstacle to the driving flames. Here there is nothing to check their fury, every tree becomes a mighty torch from which the flames leaped upward and onward, swelling with every moment, springing a hundred feet in the air and bounding forward like the spring of some awful monster, quickening into flames everything it touches, with a roar absolutely terrifying as to be beyond comparison. Such was the wall of flames that swept upon Osceola from the west. The inhabitants attempted at first to stop the onward-driving storm of fire, but it was as useless as beating the air. The trees and stumps in the cleared fields that for a little distance separated the buildings from the woods, were alive with flame the moment the cloud of fire reached them, it seemed as if

THE EARTH ITSELF WAS ON FIRE,

and no human power could avail. The Presbyterian church was the first building to take fire, and in less than half an hour the centre of the town was ablaze, and the people were fleeing for their lives. The descent of the flames upon the town was so sudden, so unexpected, that the wildest confusion prevailed. Men women and children rushed hither and thither, with some household article or a small pack of clothing hastily gathered in a sheet; men frantically yelled, women screamed and wept, and all thought only of safety for themselves and families. The smoke was so dense that it was impossible to see across the street, the heat was unbearable, adding to the fearfulness of the situation, which was awful in the extreme. The people had no time to save their valuables, but were

OBLIGED TO FLY

with whatever could be most readily seized, sometimes a picture, perhaps a few articles of clothing, a chair, a mirror, or some practically valueless article, and many left with nothing but the apparel on their persons. The sick and disabled were carried to the railroad, wither all hastened, as

THE ONLY MEANS OF ESCAPE

from the town, the woods which surrounded it on every side being on fire, and the roads impassable. Here they crowded into box cars, about forty of which were standing on a sidling, and and were brought to this place. Three trains thus loaded brought the distracted and homeless citizens to our town, and strong men were affected to tears at the spectacle. Here were a thousand people, who yesterday had comfortable homes, this afternoon, huddled into box cars, blackened with smoke, scorched with heat, their eyes swollen and bloodshot, with all their remaining earthly possessions in a bundle that a child might carry. Here were women looking for their children or their husbands or some friends not to be found in the throng at the depot, or to be heard of any where. Here were men, yesterday the owners of fine residences, costly furnished today with all their effects in a valise, or upon their persons; the women all in tears, the men, calm, but with that look of despair that marks the most intense mental agony. Most of the sufferers were immediately sought out by their friends or acquaintances and taken to their homes, and our citizens with one accord opened their houses for the reception of the unfortunate. Those who had no acquaintances were provided for by kind men and women who found some one to take them and before night all who had fled from their burning houses were provided with comfortable accommodations. The

INCREDIBLE RAPIDITY

with which dwellings, business blocks hotels, and structures of whatever kind, were consumed left little opportunity for pillage. It seemed as though with one breath the demon of flames levelled the town. The air was full of flying cinders and sparks and seemed to be a perfect atmosphere of flame. Everything combustible seemed to break into flames simultaneously. The smoke and heat were suffocating and the only wonder is that more were not

LOST AMID THE FLAMES.

It is not positively known that any but one, an unknown woman, was burned to death although several people are still missing, and their fate is doubtful.

Our reporter visited the scene of devastation, on Thursday evening, while the millions of feet of lumber in the yard of Moshannon Land & Lumber Co., were still burning, and himself counted but about seventy houses remaining. All the dwellings above the Catholic church and to the south of the Methodist church, with both those buildings, remain unharmed,

EVERYTHING ELSE IS BURNED.

That tells it all. There is not a mill of any description, not a business house, not a hotel, not even a stable or a pile of lumber left of any other portion of the town. The loss it is impossible to fix at this writing, but the estimate, for Osceola alone, of

NEARLY TWO MILLION DOLLARS,

will perhaps not be too much. The principal losers so far as we are able to lay them before our readers to-day are the Moshannon Land & Lumber Co. mill, 11,000,000 feet of lumber in yard, store, etc. $300,000; White & Son, Tanners, $40,000; Liveright, Lingle & Co., store $30,000; Walker & Brothers, Planing mill, $30,000; T. C. Helms, store and dwelling $20,000; Emmet Sayers, store, $18,000; Geo. M. Brisbin, editor *Reveille*, residence $15,000; Dr. D. R. Good, store and residence, $14,000; Hartman and Fries, hardware, $13,000; Boalich, Exchange hotel, $16,000; Milo Hoyt, Osceola House, $12,000; J. C. Henderson, Ellsworth House, $14,000; Jas. Lipton, Lipton House, $10,000; Penna. R. R. Co. buildings & bridges, $10,000; Jas. P. Hale, $10,000; Dr. T. R. Blandy, $10,000; L. G. Lingle, residence, $11,000; Kelley, store, $8,000; Estate of J. A. Blattenberger, $7,000; Brisbin Bros., Osceola *Reveille* $7,500; Michael Sanford, Public hall and dwellings, $7,000; Mrs. A. E. Scofield, bakery, $5,000; Pat. Gallaher, $5,000; Fred Rainey, residence, $6,0000; Presbyterian church and parsonage, $9,000; J. J. Lingle, residence, $5,000; Catholic parsonage, $5,500; W. A. Crist, residence, $5,000; Masonic Lodge, $3,000; G. E. Jones, jeweler, $5,000; Philip Mehring, $3,000; Abram Kephart, residence, $3,000; Wm. Harner, $3,000; Dr. Kline, $4,000; Wm. Dancer, saloon, $2,500; Bullock estate, $2,500; C Shoff, dwelling, $2,500; Chandler, residence, $2,500; T B Isett, $3,000; Property bequeathed to the poor by Solomon Hammershlag, $2,500; Hamilton, 2,500; Dr. Hafer, $2,500; Wm Quigley, $2,500; Baird, $2,500; Chas Custard, $1,500; Jos Custard, $1,500; Austin Kerin, $1,500; William Custard, $1,500; Jas Habershaw, $5,000; and about 150 dwellings worth about $1,500 each, and 10 dwellings worth about $1,000.

These are losses only in the town of Osceola proper, besides which there has been a great loss by the burning of mills on the Moshannon Branch and the main line near that place. The fire which destroyed Osceola broke out near Janesville, eleven miles distant, and passed over the intervening distance in half a day, burning the following mills: Taylor's $35,000; Kephart & Bailey, $30,000; J M Ellis & Sons', $20,000; Milliken's $12,000, besides damage to timber through which the fire ran, impossible to estimate, but reaching to over $100,000. The same fire destroyed eight or ten houses in Houtzdale, four in Houtzville, and four at Cran's school house. Fires were

RAGING IN EVERY DIRECTION

in the woods about us, endangering every mill in the vicinity of Philipsburg, and the town of Morrisdale Mines. At Decatur mines the occupants of dwellings removed their goods into the mines for safety. The Coldstream steam

SAW MILLS OF HOOP, HUMES & CO.,

of this place, their Muley mill, Squalkum mill, houses, lumber, shingles, logs, etc., were burned. They had pilled upon their grounds 700,000 feet of sawed lumber, 400,000 shingles, 400,000 feet of logs and 130,000 feet of boards belonging to Munson & Freeman, all destroyed. Their houses were all burned, with all the furniture of the occupants—who barely escaped with their lives—and, altogether, their loss will amount to $35,000 or $40,000. The Loch Lomond mills, of Jones, Allport & Co., were only saved by the vigorous effort of their men and those of our citizens who assisted in battling against the element. Hoover, Harris & Co's two steam mills were in danger, and at one time it was thought one of them could not be saved. In fact such a widespread and destructive conflagration has never been known, in this region, if indeed it was ever known in any.

INCIDENTS.

While our citizens were hastening with anxious looks, to assist in saving the mills near this place, the alarm sounded by the whistle of a locomotive at the depot, brought all who were left in town to the spot. Then it was first learned that Osceola was in danger. Soon the coal train with passenger car attached, which leaves this place at 12 o'clock, started crowded with men. But the train was unable to reach Osceola on account of the fire in the woods, and put back to this place, with most of the passengers. A few, however, managed to reach the place by walking. The wires soon gave out, there was no telegraphic communication, and the only news received after that time was by the trains which were arriving every few minutes loaded with those escaping from the doomed town, or were brought here for safety. One of the coal trains caught fire at the Osceola depot, before it could be got away, but was drawn back and the fire extinguished.

As soon as the conflagration set in the steamer at Tyrone was telegraphed for, and started on a special trian but was unable to reach the town on account of the fire along the line of road. The men, however, did reach the place and attacked the fire after all that part of the town which is now in ashes was consumed, and undoubtedly saved the remainder by checking the flames opposite the M. E. Church. Fifteen hundred persons are left homeless by the catastrophe, many of them in destitute circumstances. Many previously in comfortable ciscumstances have lost their all, home, furniture, clothing—everything they possessed, and such cases as these will demand and we doubt not receive the fullest exercise of liberality on the part of the towns in their vicinity. This (Friday) morning a car load of provision passed this place from Clearfield contributed by the citizens of that place for those who still remained in, and about the town with no supplies of any kind to satisfy their wants. Many unable to get away, spent the night in the woods supperless and breakfastless.

Few who witnessed the scene at the depot of this place as the trains brought in the hundreds of homeless citizens of what was on that morning a thriving enterprising village, will ever forget it. The platform was crowded with old and young of both sexes who had fled from an enemy more ruthless than an invading army. Here was a little girl, with her treasure, a flaxen-haired doll, there a lady who had escaped from the place with her life and her poodle dog, here an old lady anxiously asking with tears in her eyes for her son or daughter whom no one had seen; there was a man, smoke begrimed and singed, who in the morning owned a large, well furnished hotel—now two bundles of apparel constituted his all. It was a sad sight.

At Taylor's and other mills, the inhabitants were obliged to leave their houses and go out upon the dams to escape the flames, flight was impossible. Sheriff McPherson and another gentleman who were at Houtzdale waded two miles in the Moshannon in order to reach Osceola.

Hundreds visited the smoking ruins this morning, and during the day, and none without being struck with the utter desolation of the busy town. The buildings were all wooden, and there is not remaining even the debris which is left when brick or stone buildings are burned, but everything is swept clean. A more total demolition could not have been. In this calamity the citizens of Osceola have the deepest sympathy of our citizens, and we sincerely hope the disaster which has overtaken them will be but a temporary one and that their energy and industry will soon rebuild the town to beyond its previous proportions. This is the determination of the business men, and in a few days building will commence on the sites of the largest blocks. Many were insured, but at this writing it is impossible to say who, and to what extent.

ADDITIONAL

The body of the wife of Mr. John Stonebaker, living near Cloyer Run, about four miles from this place, was found in the woods to-day, (Friday) burned to a crisp.

The dwelling of Mr. Twigg, about four miles from town, was burned, and his family escaped only with the clothing upon their persons.

The passenger depot at Osceola station was saved, although it caught fire and was at one time deserted by the operator and agent. McCauley's shingle mill also escaped.

A joint meeting of the citizens of Osceola, Clearfield, and this place will be held here, Saturday to consider what steps the immediate demands of the Osceola disaster may require to be taken.

Jones, Aliport & Co's mill was again in darger to-day, but at last accounts, as we go to press is considered safe. The wind has subsided, and no more larger fires are visible, although the smoke still burdens the air.

Eleven of the insureance companies represented by L. A. Shearer & Co., of this placee, lose a total amount of $80,000.—Philipsbug *Journal*.

How the Women Organize.

It is a sad thing to see ten or twelve women get together and attempt to organized a 'society to aid the deserving poor.' They tried it in Ninth avenue the other afternoon, after having talked up the matter for three or four weeks. Thirteen or fourteen of them met by appointment, and after some skirmishing one of the number called the meeting to order and said that the first duty would be to elect a President.

A sharp-faced woman got up and said that she didn't want the position, but if it was the wish of the meeting she should take it, why, she would. There was a painful pause, and a fat woman arose and said that she had considerable experience with such societies, and that she thought she could render greater personal aid if made President. There was another painful psuse, and a little woman rose up and squeaked:

'I move to lay the subject on the table!'

The other women looked at her in a freezing way, and it was suggested that a ballot be taken. All readily agreed to this, and ballots were prepared and a bonnet passed around. When the votes were counted it was found that each woman had put in at least one for herself and three of them had put in two or three. The President *pro tem*, looked very grave as she stood up and remarked:

'Ladies, I trust that this error may not occur again.'

It did, however, or at least each one cast a vote for herself, but on the third ballot a choice was made and the lucky woman took her seat, smoothed out the folds of her dress, and remarked:

"The next thing in order is the—the next thing!'

A woman with a wart on her nose, then made a speech, saying that she had been treasurer of several similar associations, and that if it was the wish of the convention she would accept the office. It didn't seem to be the wish, however.

'I move to adjourn!' solemnly exclaimed a woman with a large back-comb.

'The motion is not in order,' replied a woman across the room.

'Am I in the chair or you?' demanded the President.

'I move to reconsider the motion!' squeaked the little woman.

'I support the question!' put in the fat woman.

The President wiped her spectacles, rapped on the stove-pipe, and replied:

'Ladies and gentlemen, there is no motion before the house, and the question to adjourn is out of order.'

'Not much!' exclaimed a woman nearly six feet high, drawing herself up. 'I've seen more meetings of this kind than the President ever heard of, and I know that an order to adjourn is always in motion!'

'So is your tongue!' said one of the league, and the President knocked on the stove-pipe and said:

'The chair believes she knows her business as well as any woman wearing plated jewelry, or as well as if she had a wart on her nose! We will now proceed to elect a Secretary and Treasurer. How shall they be elected?'

'Viver voicer!' cried one.

'I motion by ballot!' added a second.

'By exclamation!' shouted a third.

'You mean *acclamation*, explained the President, looking at the last speaker.

'I don't wear an Alaska diamond,'

was the reply, 'but I know as much as some folks that do!'

'Less journ!' shouted a female who was born in 1810.

'I move the previous motion,' put in the fat woman.

'Will some one nominate a candidate?' asked the President.

A painful silence ensued.

The fall of a hair-pin would have sounded like a hair-pin falling over onto a stove-boiler. Each hoped to have some one else nominate her, and all, therefore, breathed hard and kept silence.

'I nominate Mrs. ——,' finally said the President, seeing there was a deadlock.

'You can't nominate and put the question too!' squeaked an old lady with beau-catchers.

'I order the previous motion,' said a woman with a red shawl.

'And I'm going hum!' added the fat woman.

'Soam I!'

'Soam I!'

And they stalked out, leaving the President tying up her left shoe, and her eyes flashing wild-cats. And all this is why Detoit hasn't another 'Society to Aid the Deserving Poor.—*Detroit Free Press.*

THE PENNSYLVANIA RESERVES.—Arrangements are rapidly completing for a full turnout by the Centre county soldiery at the annual meeting of the Reserve Corps Association at Williamsport, on the third of June next. A special train, large enough to accommodate everybody desirous of going, including soldiers and citizens, will leave Bellefonte on the morning of the 3d, carrying the passengers without change to Williamsport and returning late in the evening of the same day. From the report of Major R. C. Cheesman, the enrolling officer, we have no doubt there will be few honorably discharged soldiers left in the county on that day. The expense of the trip will be a mere trifle and within the means of all. All soldiers, we understand, who cannot afford the expense will be furnished transportation free of charge. Both companies of the State College Cadets, and, perhaps, the Bellefonte Fire Department, will accompany the delegation. If the other counties of the state will do as well proportionately as Centre, the meeting in Williamsport will be perhaps the mort massive reunion ever held by the Keystone soldiery.

The fullest and most ample arrangements are being made at Williamsport. They will be richly decorated, a grand dinner will be given to the soldiers in attendance, and the well-known hospitality of the Lumber City will be extended with an open hand.

It is a shame and mortification that there are a number of news papers in the state, that are endeavoring to create a prejudice against this, and all other reuniohs of a similar kind, held by the survivors of the late war. We believe in them, believe that their influence has been and will be, a power for good to state and country. While the soldier was first to crush out rebellion, he was also first to forgive and forget the past and was ready to drop leaves of healing on the future. The two sections, North and South, of the Methodist and Presbyterian churches, with all their praying, preaching and sacraments, have not yet, walked close enough with God, to forgive the feuds and jealousies of the past, and unite the severed bonds, thus binding themselves with hypocrasy and disloyalty, which but ill accords with their hallelujatic pretensions. Last year when the remnant of that gallant body of soldiery, the Reserves, met in this place Gen. Beaver, in an address of welcome, said, and with reference to the South, that as a soldier he could forgive and forget the past, and that if necessary, he was willing to go down among them and assist in driving out the carpet-baggers and vampires who are fattening upon there misfortunes. This noble sentiment was received with shouts of applause and was heartily acceeded to by his comrades. This has been the sentiment of the northern soldiery everywhere.

Scarce had the cannon's echo died away, or the dust of battle been swept from the loyal hand of the Northern soldier, till he was ready to extend it in friendship to his conquered foe, and say, "let the past be forgotten;" thus proving that the heroic affection of a people are the strongest political chords of a nation. To the soldiery must we look, and not to the church, for the perfection of that homogenious spirit which will blot out the past, and make the country "one and inseparable, now and forever!"

Work for Poor Boys.

TO FARMERS, MECHANICS, AND EMPLOYERS IN THE COUNTRY:

At this season, country employers find much use for the labor of large boys. Many such lads between the ages of 14 and 18 come now, friendless and homeless, to our Boys' Lodging-Houses and to this office. They are boys who have had little training and of rough habits, but they will be of use on the farm or in the shop. To employ them would be a charity to the lads and an advantage to the employers. All employers of labor desiring to aid this benevolent work will please write to Mr. C. O'Connor, Supt. of the Newsbobys' Lodging-House, 15 New Chambers St., New York, stating the particulars in regard to the boys whom they would employ, their address, with the name of the town and county, and the best means of reaching the place; also, what portion of the railroad fares they are willing to pay.

C. L. BRACE,
Secretary Children's Aid Society
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LIST of Patents issued from the U. S. Patent Office to Pennsylvania Inventors, excepting Phila., for the week ending May 18, 1875, and each dated May 4, 1875.

Fire Place, J. H. Garrard, Allegheny.
Governors for Steam Engines, G Westingburg, jr., Pittsburg.
Glass Presses, W Beck, Pittsburg.
Kitchen Slicing Utensil, A Iske, Lancaster.
Extensible Coal Chutes, J Lafferly, Mansfield Valley.
Machine for Making Box-Nuts, A Maryland and W J Lewis, Pittsburg.
Machine for Making Plow Caps, same.
Manufacture of Hexagonal Nuts, A Maryland, Pittsburg.
Pantaloon Blocks, J McCurdey, Lock Haven.
Injectors, W P Patton, Harrisburg.
Gas Purifiers, J D Patton, Tarentum.
Steam Engine Governors, T J Walch, Brownsville.
Rotary Engines, H G Wood, Sharon.
Car Coupling, J G Reader, St. Vincent's.
Firemens' Extension Ladder, H Bastion, Sr., Montoursville.
Air Pump Faucets, Thos Bingam, Pittsburg.
Ice Cutting Machine, C Heisler and J Dermer, Williamsport.
Sectional Boiler, H F King, Corry.
Car Axle Box, J Rhoads, Harrisburg.
Automatic Air Escapes for Air Brakes, G Westinghouse and T W Walch, Pittsburg.
Refrigerator, E W Gidding, Johnstown.
Speaking Tube, B Howard and J Beadle, Strickshing.
Glass Mold, King and Sherber, Pittsburg.
Hasp Fastning, W McConway, Pittsburg.
Wrench, J Best, Allegheny.
Machine for Rounding Corners of Slate Graves, A Stroh, Manch Chunk.
Car Coupling, A Dehuff, York.
Straw Carrier for Thrashing Machines, G Genzel, Spring Mills.
Rotary Engine, D S Jones, Shamokin.
Broom Hangers, J Cain, Altoona.
Wagon Brake, J C Cashart, Ackermanville.
Washing Machine, T Crumbling, East Prospect.
Wagon Brake, J N Downs, West Newton.
Automatic Governors for Hot Air furnaces, S Kepner, Pittstown.
Spring Bed Bottoms, J R Newman, Franklin.
Rotary Engines, W B Scott, Scranton.
Millstone Dress, J A Witman and G W Selbit, Middletown.

EDITOR'S TABLE.

—ST. NICHOLAS for June opens with one of the most charming frontispieces that have yet appeared in the magazine, illustrating a fanciful poem by Rachel Pomeroy, about a little giant-girl, who is certainly unlike any other of her race with whom we are acquainted.

Stories of adventure have by this time come to be a fixed fact with the boys who read ST. NICHOLAS, and they will fully appreciate the interesting account of the manner in which a "First Trout" was caught, the article telling them just "How to Camp Out at the Beach," and a certain crisis in the story of "The Surveyor." As for the girls, they will testify that there is no lack of enjoyment for them when they have read the chapters of "Eight Cousins," "The Story of the Bird-defenders," "Christinchen's Answer," and "Among the Lillies."

Mrs. Diaz's "Bad Luck of Bubby Crayaway," the story of a "Pagamuffin Party," "Mrs. Headache," and the beautifully illustrated poem of "The Little Girl who Wouldn't say Please," are all of them very serious in one sense and very funny in another; while children of a studious turn will find something exactly to their mind in the "Life of a Clothes-Moth" and the description of "The Druids and their Temples."

The poem of "The Fays"—beautiful in itself—is illustrated most exquisitely by Jessie Curtis, who has no superior in the dainty and graceful execution of drawings of this delicate order.

The illustrations generally are admirably drawn and engraved; and the various departments, are as usual, full of information, anecdotes, and humor.

"PETERSON'S JOURNAL OF POPULAR LITERATURE."—The June number of this brilliant periodical opens with a beautiful steel engraving, "Shipwrecked Hopes," accompanying which is a poem with the same title.

With this number, the first of Vol. II., we notice a change in what was hitherto a feature of the Magazine, that of all articles being complete. The publishers say, that though the feature is heartily liked by a large number of people, there is still such a demand for one or two good continued stories, that they have thought best to gratify it. In this number, therefore, we notice the commencement of a seriel of extraordinary interest, entitled "The Mystery at Blackwood Grange," by Mrs. May Agnes Fleming, author of "A Wonderful Woman," etc.

Among the completed stories is an unusually fine one, "An Old Affair," by Christian Ried, author of "Morton House," "Valerie Aylmer," etc. Also "My Imperialist Neighbor," a charming piece of fiction; "Exchange no Robbery," a love story of the most interesting type; "Judy," a tale of the African Slave Trade; "The Settler's Tragedy," by Edward Jenkins, M. P., author of "Ginx's Baby;" "A Woman's Pride;" "Snow-Stayed," etc.

There is also an "Ode for Decoration Day," by Henry Peterson, and a numerous beautiful poems by good authors. Interesting and witty miscellany make up the number.

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BUSINESS NOTICES.

To all, particularly invalids, spring is a trying season. Indications of sickness should at once be attended to. Fatal diseases may be caused by allowing the bowels to become constipated, and the system to remain in a disorder has time to develop itself. An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure, is an old and truthful saying. Therefore, we advise all who are troubled with the complaints now very prevalent—headache, indigestion, disordered liver, want of appetite, nausea, or feverish skin to take, without delay, Schenck's Mendrake Pills. We know of no remedy so harmless and decisive in its action. It at once strikes at the root of the disease and produces a healthy tone to the system. People never need suffer from any disease arising from a disordered condition of the liver if they would take this excellent medicine when they feel the first indications of the malady. Families leaving home for the summer months should take three or four boxes of these pills with them. They have an almost instantaneous effect. They will relieve the patient of headache in one or two hours, and will rapidly cleanse the liver of surrounding bile, and will effectually prevent a bilious attack. They are sold by all druggist. 18-4t

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Bellefonte Markets.

BELLEFONTE, May 26, 1875.

Many of our merchants have received their Spring stock of goods and are doing a fair trade, all things considered. The weather is much more favorable for the growing crops, and herbage generally puts on a more cheerful appearance.

WHEAT.—The wheat market still attracts the attention of dealers, but the Eastern markets are somewhat weak as compared with what they were a fortnight ago, and we are not now impressed with a favorable market for higher prices. The transactions since our last report have been light and we have not been advised that any has changed hands for shipment.

CORN.—Corn is steady at our quotations, although some are holding for a higher figure.

RYE AND OATS.—There are no sales to notice.

HAY.—Continues scarce and there is very little offering. Prices vary from twenty to thirty dollars per ton, according to quality.

POTATOES.—The market for potatoes is quite steady, but the supply is very little in excess of the local demand. The large quantity that has been shipped to all towns west of us, from York State, has materially interfered with shipments and kept down the price.

White Wheat per bushel	$1 15
Red wheat	1 10
Rye per bushel	90
Corn, ears	65
Corn, shelled	65
Oats	50
Clover seed, choice	8 00
Flour, retail per barrel	6 50
Flour, wholesale	6 00
HAY AND STRAW.	
Hay choice timothy per ton	$25 00
Hay Mixed per ton	20 00
STRAW FOR GLASS WORKS.	
Oat straw for packing per ton	10 00
Wheat straw, short per ton	8 00
STRAW AT PAPER MILL.	
Long rye straw, bundled per ton	11 00
Short straw per ton	8 00

Provision Market.

Corrected Weekly by Brew & Son.

Apples, dried, per lb	10
Apples per bus	75
Peaches, dried, per lb	15
Cherries, dried, per lb	8
Beans per quart	10
Fresh Butter lb	30
Chickens, per piece	25
Turkeys, per lb	10
Cheese per lb	25
Hams per lb	15
Bacon	12½ & 12
Sides	11
Lard per lb	15
Eggs per doz	15
Tallow, per pound	7
Potatoes per bushel	75
Dried Beef	25
Beef by the side	6
Cod Fish per lb., Boneless	12½
Cod Fish, whole	6
Canned Tomatoes, per can	20
Oranges per doz	50 to 75

Philadelphia Market Report.

Monday, May 18th, 1875.

REMARKS.—Trade continues in a most unsatisfactory condition. Capital is easy of access, but there is an apparent want of confidence in the stability of values, and there is no disposition on the part of consumers either here or throughout the West to purchase beyond immediate wants—a state of affairs that must ultimately lead to considerable activity hereafter. The general weather has caused a little more cheerfulness, but the aggregate trade foots up much less than at this period for many years past.

WHEAT—The market has ruled dull since our last notice. The receipts and offerings are slight, but the inquiry is confined almost exclusively to the local millers, who have operated sparingly, owing to the lack of profits in the conversion of Wheat into Flour. The Liverpool advices are unfavorable, and shipping mergins adverse. Our accounts from the West state that the weather has been quite propitious, and should it continue from this period out, there are strong hopes of an average yeild, except in some sections of this State, New York, and California. To-day the market closed quiet, with prices somewhat in buyers' favor. Sales of 1,400 bus Western and Penna Red at $1.40@1.42; 400 bus Western Amber at $1.40; 1,000 bus Penna do at $1.42; and 1,000 bushels Penna White at $1.45. Receipts for the week, 105,200 bushels.

RYE—Is scarce. Small sales of Penna. and Western at $1.10@1.12.

CORN—Has been dull, influenced by liberal offerings and unfavorable foreign advices, and prices have dropped off 2@3c from the highest point. Sales of 34,00 bus Penna and Western Yellow, part in cars and part in the grain depot, at 85¼, 86@87c; 1,500 bus Southern White at 78c; 49,000 bushels Western high mixed, part in the Elevator and part in the cars, at 84, 85, 85½@86 cents f. o. b. 25,000 bus were shipped to Liverpool per "Indiana." To-day the market closed quiet at a further decline of one cent. Receipts for the week, 86,000 bus.

OATS—Were dull at the close of last week, but since there has been a firmer feeling with more inquiry. Sales of 48,000 bus Western White at 74@78c—the latter for choice—chiefly at 76@77 cents; and 10,000 bus Western dark and light mixed at 73@75c. To-day the market was less active and weak, with sales of 2,800 bushels Western White at 75@77 cents, and 6,800 bus do light mixed at 74. Receipts for the week, 103 600 bushels.

—Quotations of WHITE, POWELL & CO. Bankers and Brokers, 42 South Third Street.

PHILADELPHIA, May 17, 1875

	BID.	ASKED
U. S. 1881, c	14	24½
" 5-20's, '67, 24, and N	6¼	16¾
" " " '65, " "	17¼	18
" " " '65, " "	20½	20¾
" " " '65, J. and J	22	22½
" " " '67, " "	23¼	23½
" " " '68, " "	23½	23¾
" 10-40's, coupon	17¼	18
" Pacific 6's cy	24½	24¾
New 5's, Reg. 1881	16¼	16½
" " C. 1881	16¼	16½
Gold	19	19¼
Silver	17¾	18¼
Pennsylvania	56¾	57¼
Reading	51	51¼
Philadelphia & Erie	29½	29¾
Lehigh Navigation	50¾	51
" Valley, Ex. Div	61½	62
United R. R. of N. J	120¾	121
Oil Creek	13½	14
Northern Central	49	50
Central Transportation	49½	50
Susquehanna	56½	57
C. & A. Mortgage 6's, '75	99¾	100¼

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Legal Notices.

NOTICE.—A meeting of all persons opposed to the division of Benner township as now proposed will be held at the school house near Squire Johnsonbaughs, in said township, on Saturday, June 5, at 2 o'clock P. M.

MANY CITIZENS.

AN ORDINANCE.—To provide for the "Organization or a Police" and their compensation.

SECTION 1st. Be it ordained and enacted by the Town Council of the Borough of Bellefonte, in Town Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, that hereafter the regular Police Force of the Borough shall consist of any number of persons not exceeding six.

SECTION 2nd. That at the first regular meeting of the Council in May of each year or at any regular meeting thereafter, the Town Council shall by resolution determine the number for the ensuing year, and it shall be the duty of the Chief Burgess to nominate suitable persons, citizens of the Borough, to act as Borough Police and designate one of their number as Chief, and shall present the same to the Town Council for confirmation and if any of the said persons should not be confirmed by the Council it shall be the duty of the Chief Burgess to withdraw the name and nominate other suitable person or persons as aforesaid until confirmed by the Council, and the Town Council aforesaid shall ex by resolution the compensation to be paid to each Police Force and make provision for the payment thereof, and shall certify the names of the persons so confirmed to the Chief Burgess who shall issue commissions to said persons and certify as now provided by ordinance.

SECTION 3rd. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent within the provisions of this ordinance be, and same are hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into an ordinance this 18th day of, May, A. D. 1875.

Attest ROBERT VALENTINE, President.
JAS. H. RANKIN, Secretary.

Approved May 25, 1875.
A. STERNBERG, Chief Burgess.

BILLIARD TABLES FOR SALE.—Four new first-class billiard tables, Phelan & Collender's make, three carom and one pocket, with balls, cues and cases, will be sold at a sacrifice. Inquire at the REPUBLICAN office.

Kidney Complaint

Probably there is no complaint that afflicts the human system, which is so little understood at the present time, as some of the varied forms of Kidney Complaints.

There is no disease which causes such acute pain or more alarming in its results than when the kidneys fail to secrete from the blood the uric acid, and other poisonous substances, which the blood accumulates in its circulation through the system.

If from any cause the kidneys fail to perform the functions devolving upon them, the cumulations are taken up by the absorbents and the whole system thrown into a state of disease, causing great pain and suffering, and very often immediate death. Hence the importances of keeping the kidneys and blood in a healthy condition, through which all the impurities of the body must pass.

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There is no remedy known to medical science which has proved itself more valuable in cases of Kidney Complaints than the VEGETINE. It acts directly upon the secretions, cleanses and purifies the blood, and restores the whole system to healthy action.

The following extraordinary cure of great sufferers, who had been given up by the best physicians as hopeless cases, will speak for themselves, and should challenge the most profound attention to the medical faculty, as well as of those who are suffering from Kidney Complaint.

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MR. STEVENS: Dear Sir—I am seventy-one years of age; have suffered many years with Kidney Complaint, weakness in my back and stomach. I was induced by friends to try your VEGETINE, and I think it the best medicine for weakness of the kidneys I ever used. I have tried many remedies for this complaint and never found so much relief as from the VEGETINE. It strengthens and invigorates the whole system. Many of my acquaintances have taken it, and I believe it to be good for all the complaints for which it is recommended.

Yours truly,
JOSIAH H. SHARMAN.

PRONOUNCED INCURABLE.

BOSTON, May 20, 1871.

H. R. STEVENS, Esq: Dear Sir—I have been badly afflicted with Kidney Complaint for ten years; have suffered great pain in my back, hips and side, with great difficulty in passing urine, which was often, and in very small quantities, frequently accompanied with blood and excruciating pain.

I have faithfully tried most of the popular remedies recommended for my complaint; I have been under the treatment of some of the most skillful physicians in Boston, all of whom pronounced my case incurable. This was my condition when I was advised by a friend to try the VEGETINE, and I could see the good effects from the first dose I took, and from that moment I kept on improving until I was entirely cured, taking in all, I should think, about six bottles.

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Miscellaneous.

AN ORDINANCE.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Town Council of the Borough of Bellefonte, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same.

SECTION 1st.—That every person or persons who shall be found on any street or any public place within the bounds of said borough making noise and confusion or using obscene or profane language, or behaving in other disorderly manner or any wise disturbing the peace and good order of the Borough, or whoever may be found lounging upon door steps, cellar doors or other private property without permission or against the wish of the owner thereof, or doing injury to public or private property; or lounging on street corners, around lamp posts or on the bridges of said borough during the night time, shall be liable to arrest by any police officer or high constable of said borough, and it shall be the duty of any police officer or high constable as aforesaid to arrest all persons so offending, and upon conviction thereof before the Chief Burgess or Justice of the Peace, of said borough, shall pay a fine of not less than one dollar and not more than five dollars each, and costs of prosecution, at the discretion of the Chief Burgess or Justice of the Peace before whom the case shall have been tried, and in case any person or so sentenced shall refuse or omit to pay the fine imposed and costs, every such person shall be duly committed to the common jail of Centre county, for any length of time not exceeding twenty-four hours, at the discretion of the said Chief Burgess or Justice of the Peace.

Ordained and enacted this 19th day of April, A. D., 1875.

Attest ROBERT VALENTINE, President.
J. H. RANKIN, Sect.

Approved the 20th day of April A. D., 1875.
S. M. IRWIN, Chief Burgess.

A SUPPLEMENT—To the ordinance entitled an ordinance to compel the citizens of the Borough of Milesburg, on Pike and Market Streets, to grade, curb and pave the side walks on said streets, approved the tenth day of August, A. D. 1867.

Sec 1st.—Be it ordained and enacted by the town council of the borough of Milesburg, in common council assembled and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, that the provisions of the aforesaid ordinance, be and the same is hereby extended to all the streets in the borough of Milesburg that are now open or that may hereafter be opened for public travel.

Approved this third day of May, A. D. 1875.
J. MILES GREEN, Burgess.
DAN'L T. SHOPE Secretary.
19-3t

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—The will of Dr. A. A. Henderson, late of U. S. Navy, having been admitted to probate, letters testamentary thereunto having been issued to the undersigned, of which all persons interested will please take notice.

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Martha	9,75	" " "
Port Matilda	10,00	" " "
Hannan	10,00	" " "
Bald Eagle	10,00	" " "
Tyrone	10,00	" " "
Snow Shoe	10,50	" " "

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RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$337,070 72
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	100,000 00
Other Stocks, Bonds and Mortgages	24,750 00
Due from approved reserve agts	27,289 07
" " other National Banks	3,721 54
" " State Banks and Bankers	25,842 21
Real Estate Furniture and Fixtures	25,815 36
Current Expense & Taxes paid	4,217 97
Premiums paid	34 22
Checks and other Cash Items	8,809 40
Bills of other National Banks	6,523 00
Fractional Currency (includ'g Nickel)	883 57
Legal Tender Notes	27,288 00
Redemption fund with U S Treasurer	
Redemption fund with U. S. Treas. (5 per cent of circulation)	4,500 00
	$610,853 51

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in	$100,000 00
Surplus fund	45,000 00
Other undivided profits	12,229 89
National Bank Notes outstanding	90,000 00
Individual Deposits subject to check	69,444 54
Time Certificates of Deposit	241,552 28
Due to other National Banks	50,674 32
" State Banks and Bankers	1,952 47
	$610,853 51

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, } ss.
County of Centre } ss:

I, John P. Harris, Cashier of the First National Bank of Bellefonte, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN P. HARRIS, Cashier.

Sworn and subscribed to before me, this 9th day of March, 1875.

ROLAND C. CHEESMAN, N. P

Correct Attest:
E. C. HUMES,
ADAM HOY,
W. P. HUMES, } Directors.
9-3t

Agricultural.

Beneficial Insects.

In the April number of the very useful Report of the Department of Agriculture is a sketch and an account of a very useful insect whose acquaintance it would profit every cultivator of the soil to make. It is called by entomologists *Reduvius*, and Mr. Glover says in that part of the world (Washington) it is known as the Devil's Horse. The Latin name is, however, preferable to these names, and as Reduvius is very easy, there is no reason why the insect should not go by its right name. It is rather an ungainly creature having a broad brown body, surmounted by a crest, with a long, camel-like, slender neck. It is very slow in its movements, but generally manages to "spear" and suck out all there is in such caterpillers and other insects which get near him. It is one of our best friends, and should always receive protection.

Then there are Lady Bugs ('Coccinella,') which feed wholly on insects, and especially likes to get after the larvæ of the Colorado Potato Beetle. It is a friend beyond all price.

The whole race of spiders are among our best friends. They give their whole time to us gratis, being ever on the watch to catch insects which trouble us so. Some spiders seem more especially to look after certain kinds of insects. On our grounds are large quantities of a large yellow spider, which loves to stretch its web among evergreen trees. These are generally spread in the vicinity of the nests of caterpillars, many of whom walk into the webs, and make a good meal for the occupant.

In these days of trouble from insects it is well to be able to distinguish our friends from our foes. —Philadelphia *Press*.

FREE LOVE IN "YE OLDEN TIME."

Speech of Miss Polly Baker, delivered before a Court of Judicature, in Connecticut, wherein she was prosecuted the fifth time for having bastard children. From the "American Museum" for March, 1787.

"May it please the Honorable Bench to indulge me in a few words. I am a poor, unhappy woman, who has no money to fee lawyers to plead for me, being hard put to it to get a tolerable living. I shall not trouble your Honors with long speeches, nor have I the presumption to expect that you may by any means be prevailed on to deviate in your sentence, from the law, in my favor. All that I humbly hope is that your Honors will charitably move the Governor's goodness in my behalf, that my fine may be remitted. This is the fifth time, gentlemen, that I have been dragged before your Court on the same account. Twice have I paid heavy fines, and twice been brought to public punishment for want of money to pay these fines. This may have been agreeable to the laws, and I don't dispute it; but since laws are sometimes unreasonable in themselves, and therefore repealed, and others bear too hard in particular cases, therefore there is left a power somewhere, to dispense with the execution of them. I take the liberty to say that I think this law, by which I am punished, is both unreasonable in itself, and particularly severe with regard to me, who have always lived an unoffending life in the neighborhood where I was born, and I defy my enemies (if I have any) to say I ever wronged man, woman or child.

Abstracted from the law, I cannot conceive (may it please your Honors) what the nature of my offense is. I have brought five children into the world, at the risk of my life. I have maintained them well by my own indnstry, without burdening the township, and would have done it better if it had not been for the heavy charges and fines I have paid. Can it be a crime (in the nature of things, I mean) to add to the number of the King's subjects, in a new country that really wants people? I own it, I should think it a praise worthy, rather than a punishable action. I have debauched no other woman's husband, nor enticed any youth. These things I never was charged with, nor has any one the least cause of complaint against me, unless, perhaps, the Minister or Justice, because I have had children without being married, by which they have missed a wedding fee. But, can this be a fault of mine? I appeal to your Honors. You are pleased to allow I don't want sense; but I must be stupefied to the last degree not to prefer the honorable state of wedlock, to the condition I have lived in. I always was, and still am, willing to enter into it, and doubt not my behaving well in it, having all the industry, fertility and skill in economy, appertaining to a good wife's character. I defy any person to say I ever refused an offer of this sort. On the contrary, I readily consented to the only proposal of marriage that ever was made to me, which was when I was a virgin; but too easily confiding in the person's sincerity that made it, I unhappily lost my own honor by trusting to his; for he got me with child, and then forsook me. That very person you all know; he is now become a magistrate of this country, and I had hopes that he would have appeared this day on the bench, and endeavored to moderate the court in my favor. Then, I should have scorned to mention it; but I must now complain of it as unjust and unequal, that my betrayer and undoer, the first cause of all my faults and miscarriages (if they must be deemed such,) should be advanced to honor and power in that government which punishes my misfortunes with stripes and infamy!

I shall be told, 'tis likely, that were there no assembly in this case, the precepts of religious offense, leave it to religious punishments. You have already excluded me from the comforts of your Church Communion; is not that sufficient? You believe I have offended heaven, and must suffer eternal fire; will not that be sufficient? What need is there, then, of your additional fines and whipping? I own, I do not think as you do; for if I thought what you call a sin was really such, I would not presumptuously commit it. But how can it be believed that heaven is angry at my having children, when to the little done by me toward it, God has pleased to add His divine skill and admirable workmanship, in the formation of their bodies, and crowned it by furnishing them with rational and immortal souls?

Forgive me, gentlemen, if I talk a little extravagantly on these matters. I am no divine; but, if you gentlemen must be making laws, do not turn natural and useful actions into crimes, by your prohibitions. But take into your wise consideration the great and growing number of bachelors in the country; many of whom, from the mean fear of expense of a family, have never sincerely and honorably courted a woman in their lives; and by their manner of living, leave unproduced, (which is little better than murder) hundreds of their posterity to a thousandth generation. Is not this a greater offense against the public good than mine? Compel them, then, by law, either to marry or to pay double the fine of fornication every year. What shall poor young women do, whom custom hath forbid to solicit the men, and who cannot force themselves upon husbands, when laws take no pains to provide them any, and yet severely punish them if they do their duty without them—the duty of the first great command of Nature, and of Nature's God—increase and multiply!—a duty from the steady performance of which nothing has been able to deter me; but for its sake, I have hazarded the loss of the public esteem, and have frequently endured public disgrace; and therefore ought in my humble opinion, instead of a whipping, to have a statute erected to my memory!"

NOTE.—This judicious address influenced the court to dispense with her punishment, and induced one of the judges to marry her the next day. She ever afterwards supported an irreproachable character, and had fifteen children by her husband. Another account says her name was Sarah Olliton.

The Support of Home Missionaries.

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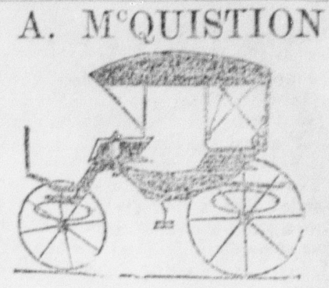

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ISAAC LOSE Takes this Method to inform his friends and the public generaly that he is prepared to do all kinds of express busines and will deliver promptly to any point in Bellefonte or the county anything that may be trusted to his care. Thankful for past favors asks a continuence of public favor. 5-6-1

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BELLEFONTE REPUBLICAN

BELLEFONTE, PA.

Lodge Directory.

Bayard Post, No. 90, G. A. R., meets every Monday evening, at 7 o'clock, in Bush's Arcade.

Bellefonte Council, No. 270, O. U. A. M., meets every Tuesday evening, at 7 o'clock, in Bush's Arcade.

Bellefont Lodge, No. 190, K. of P., meets every Friday evening, at their hall, in Meek's Building, opposite the Bush House.

Centre Lodge, No. 153, I. O. O. F., meets every Thursday evening at the Odd Fellow's hall. Degree meetings first Saturday of each month.

Minerva (Rebekah Degree) Lodge, No. 53, meets on the Saturday night next to and immediatelybefore the full of the moon of each month, in Odd Fellow's hall.

Bellefonte Encampment, No. 72, I. O. O. F., meets at the Odd Fellow's hall, on the second and fourth Mondays of every month.

Bellefonte Lodge, No. 268, A. Y. M., meets on Tuesday evening, at 7 o'clock, on or before each moon, in Masonic Lodge, Bush's Arcade.

Bellefonte Chapter, 243, R. A. M. meets on Thursday night preceeding the second Friday of each month, in Masonic Lodge.

onstans Commandery, No. 3, K. T., meets e second Friday evening of each month, in Masonic Lodge.

Bellefonte and County.

——The best and cheapest Soda Water in town at Zeller's drug store, only 5 cents.

——The Hughesville *Enterprise* has been enlarged and very much improved. It is now a good paper.

——Special Court for argument will be held in this place to-morrow (Thursday); Judge Mayer will preside.

——Sirs F. Potts Green and C. Curtin are representing Constans Commandery at the grand conclave in Pittsburg this week.

——Governor Curtin has accepted an invitation to deliver an address on Decoration day at the Soldiers Home, Dayton, Ohio.

——Mr. John R. Shoemaker, returned a few days ago from Washington, D. C., to pay his semi-annual visit to his family and friends.

——School directors should get their annual reports ready and have them published before the 10th of June as the law directs.

——Major R. H. Foster was duly installed in the office of Gen. McCandless, Secretary of Internal affairs, on Wednesday last.

——The Brockerhoff brothers are selling off their store goods at auction, with the intention of removing to Reynoldsville, Jefferson Co.

——Rev. Robert Hamill, D. D., pastor of the Lemont Presbyterian Church, was lately married to Miss Hanna Belleville of Delaware.

——The aspirants for the positon of principal of our public schools, are W. C. Heinle, J. M. Duncan, Wm. Fortney, and W. S. McPherran.

——Lawyers Furst, Beaver, Blanchard, McMannus, Hoy, Alexander and Wilson were in attendance at Supreme Court at Harrisburg, last week.

——The State College Cadets have been invited to attend the annual meeting of the Pennsylvania Reserves, at Williamsport, on the 4th of June.

——Ministers of the Gospel, and others, are invited to attend the corner stone laying of the new Reformed Church, at Hublersburg, which takes place next Sunday, May 30.

——We are in receipt of an invitation to be present at the annual entertainment of the Washington Literary Society of the Penn. State College, to be held Friday evening, May 28.

——A resident of Indiana borough recently recovered from said borough $575 damages for an injury received, caused by a defective side walk. Look after that board-walk from High St. to the big spring.

——The members of the M. E. Sunday School of Milesburg are preparing to give a grand musical treat in the way of a concert on Friday evening, 28th inst. Mr. Lyman T. Eddy has the management of the concert which fact is a sufficient guaranty of its success.

——Adam Hoy was sent to the lock-up yesterday (Thursday) by the city recorder for drunkenness.—*Gazette & Bulletin.* But it wasn't our Adam, though, because he was attending Supreme Court at Harrisburg, at that time, in company with Messrs. Furst and Blanchard.

——Is there not some Revolutionary event located in Centre County that might be celebrated while business generally is a little slack? We are up to the times in 'most every other respect and should not fall behind in Centennial matters. How about the "Old Fort" history in Pennsvalley? Brothor Kurtz should give this his attention.

WONDERFUL.—To show what a little newspaper puff will do is exemplified by the following: We sent a copy of the "Reporter" to Barnum with his advertisement, and he, like every one, taking a liking to the paper, read it all through, and finding a local of cheap groceries sold by Sechler & Co., he at once issued an order for sugar, coffee, ham, eggs, potatoes, beans, &c., &c., to be bought of that firm, for his show folks when at Bellefonte, and was so well pleased with the quality and low price, that he now declares Sechler the noblest, fairest, and cheapest groceryman he has met since he left New York. —*Reporter*

RELIEF FOR THE OSCEOLA SUFFERERS.—In another column will be found on account of the terrible fires in Osceola, Houtzdale and Snow Shoe. The details of these conflagrations are heartrending, and the amount of suffering they have caused is incalculable. Hundreds of people were left homeless and without food or shelter. Mr. L. G. Lingle, chief burgess of Osceola, Telegraphed to neighboring towns for supplies on Thursday evening last. The telegram to Chief Burgess Sternburg, was received late on Thursday evening. Whereupon he issued the following:

PROCLAMATION!

FRIDAY MORNING, May 21, 1875.

The town of Osceola, in Clearfield Co., was yesterday almost entirely destroyed by fire, and the citizens left houseless and in destitution. The Chief Burgess of that town telegraphs to the Chief Burgess of Bellefonte, as follows:

OSCEOLA, May 20, 1875.

TO THE CHIEF BURGESS OF BELLEFONTE:

Our town of Osceola has been almost destroyed by fire and our people left destitute. Send us what supplies you can—provisions of any kind. L. G. LINGLE, Chief Burgess.

In view of this great calamity to the people of our sister town, the Chief Burgess of Bellefonte respectfully and earnestly recommends and requests this people to assemble in the Court House this morning, at eight (8) o'clock, for the purpose of adopting some measures of relief in accordance with the request contained in the above dispatch. At the ringing of the bell, let everybody go to the Court House. Our action must be prompt and liberal.

Signed,

A. STERNBURG, Chief Burgess, Bellefonte, Pa.

A copy of this proclamation was left at every house in town before six o'clock on Friday morning, and upon the ringing of the bell, shortly after eight o'clock, a large number of our citizens assembled in the Court House. James A. Beaver, called the meeting to order, and, on motion of William Shortlidge, was elected chairman, D. S. Keller, was chosen Secretary, and John Irwin, Jr., Treasurer. After deliberation, it was decided to canvass the town for such supplies as would relieve the sufferers as soon as it reached them, and that a car load of provisions be sent by the 11-18 A. M. passenger train, and the balance on future trains. Mr. Sternburg reported that he had made arrangements with the Railroad Company to have the car attached to the next passenger train. A committee of three gentlemen from each ward was appointed to make the canvass immediately. The chair announced the committees as follows:

North Ward—A. Sternburg, *chairman ex-officio*. Wm. H. Blair, Apolph Loeb, A. S. Valentine.

West Ward—Wm. Shortlidge, Harry Herman, Jas. H. Rankin,

South Ward—Geo. F. Harris, D. W. Woodring, H. Sechler.

The committee held a short consultation and then proceeded vigorously to work. The chief burgess was authorized to purchase all the bread that could be bought in the several bakeries of town, and such other supplies as he deemed necessary. On motion, a telegram was directed to be sent to Osceola, that a car load of provisions was being loaded and would be shipped by next train, and asking one hundred homeless children should be sent to Bellefonte to be cared for. It was suggested that a contribution of money be taken up for the sufferers, and, inside of five minutes, something over four hundred dollars cash was placed in the hands of Treasurer Irwin. Governor Curtin then asked that the meeting would resolve itself into a committee of the whole, and that each would go home and gather together whatever they could send to the depot immediately. An hour before the arrival of the train, the car was loaded with provisions. Mayor Sternburg accompanied the provisions to Osceola and superintended the distribution. Governor Curtin sent one hundred dollars worth of groceries besides about all the provisions in his house. Sheriff Perks of the Brockerhoff house also sent a generous lot. In fact our people, as usual, came up promptly and liberally with money and provisions, but we have not space to particularize. Two car loads were sent from Lock Haven, and liberal gifts were made by the citizens of Tyrone, Altoona and other towns. These we believe, have been sufficient to supply the immediate wants of all who were in need. Arrangements have been made to furnish homes and sustenance for all who were burnt out.

The report of the treasurer showed the sum of $305.25 in bank. Bills amounting to $76.38 for supplies furnished the Osceola and Snow Shoe sufferers, were presented, approved, and ordered to be paid. The chairman of the ward committees not being present, no formal reports were presented on their behalf.

Voted, that committees be appointed to canvass the town for contributions or money to be expended for clothing, and that in addition to the funds so raised, the treasurer be authorized to expend one hundred and fifty dollars of the funds in his hands. The chair appointed as said committee, the following named ladies:

NORTH WARD.—Mrs. W. V. Hughes, Miss Celia Armor, Mrs. John T. Johnston, Mrs. N. D. Orbison.

SOUTH WARD.—Mrs. W. P. Wilson, Miss Mary Brockerhoff, Mrs. G. F. Harris, Mrs. Bella Given.

WEST WARD.—Mrs. James H. Rankin, Miss E. M. Thomas, Mrs. Jared Harper, Mrs. F. Gray Meek.

The meeting then adjourned, subject to the call of the officers.

D. S. KELLER, Secretary.

——May flowers will be ready for distribution about the last of June.

——Boys! be cautious how you tresspass on the school property—policemen are watching.

——Zeller & Son manufacture their own syrups, from the pure juice of the fruit for their Soda Water.

——D. H. Hastings has become the junior member of the Bush & Yocum law firm, and may hereafter be found in their office, opposite the First National Bank.

——Captain Runkle has opened a splendid little grocery store in his residence on High street opposite the Court House and has built an imposing looking awning in front of his establishment.

——Price, the man who lately shot the would-be express robber, and received for his heroic act $1000 in gold from his employers, was, until recently, an editor. That's the kind of fellows we are.

WEST POINT.—The following young men have entered the list for the competitive examination for the appointment to West point: James A. Leydon of Centre; C. L. Penny, Union; James F. Pie, Clearfield; Henry H. Berry, Clinton. The date of the examination has not yet been named by congressman Mackey.

——Mr. Henry Hoover, of Port Matilda, lately bought the entire stock good will and fixtures of the well known merchandizing establisment of Mr. John Cook, on Allegheny Street Mr. Hoover will shortly remove the stock into the Bush House block, where the new establishment will be under the general maugement of Mr. Daniel Irvin.

——We have received the following enigna from some young friend who would like to have it answered by readers of the REPUBLICAN, who will give us the answer?

I am composed of 29 letters,
My 11, 7, 18, 17, 20, is a bird,
My 9, 14, 5, 20, is the name of a Bellefonte editor.
My 13, 19, is an abbreviation of name of State,
My 1, 2, 3, 4, 12, a gay young lady,
My 10, 11, 17, 5, a city in Pennsylvnia,
My 6, 12, 8, 18, 2, is needed around a yard,
My 16, is the first letter of a martyred President's name,
My whole is the name of a paper published in Central Penna.

MOUNT EAGLE. J. A.

——Lock Haven may well boast of her magnificent hotel, the Fallon House. It posesses coveniences, accommodations and attractions that rival those of the best houses of Philadelphia or New York Its central location, pleasant internal arrangement, luxuriant furniture, and, particularly, its elegant and generous cursine department, are points in the make up of the Fallon House that are daily filling the pages of its register with guests. This from personal inspection. We were there last Thursday.

——Toner McCalister returned home the other day after a two month's tour with Fourpaw's Circus. Toner met with a little difficulty at Hoboken which hurried him home. The glass cage that he was driving was accidentally upset in turning a street corner. Glass, wild animals, wheels, horses and other things gave way, and Toner in disgrace was sentenced to pay the loss, by appropriating his wages monthly to that effect. Toner submitted gracefully to this imposition until the course of events brought the circus to Elmira, N. Y., when Mr. Fourpaw sent him down street with six dollars to buy its worth of castor oil. Toner didn't know of any place in the country where they sold castor oil as cheap as in Bellefonte; accordingly he arrived here on Friday and is at present looking around for a bargain in castor oil.

HIRAM COLLIER, A. M.—The friends of the Pennsylvania State College will be sorry to hear of the resignation of Professor Collier of that institution. The Professor intends to sever his connection with the college at the close of the present session, having accepted the chair of Chemistry and Physics, in the Pennsylvania State Normal School at Indiana. He has filled the same chair in the State College for two years or more past and has been considered one of the foremost and ablest men of the faculty. Before he came to Pennsylvania, he was, for twelve years, Professor of natural sciences in the celebrated Hillsdale College of Michigan. In all these positions Mr. Collier has proved himself to be the ripe scholar, faithful teacher, and accomplished gentleman that he is. His object in leaving the State College is purely a question of salary, which will be considerably increased. The Indiana State Normal School is a new institution which will be opened for the first time in September next. under the presidency of Rev. Edmund B. Fairfield, D. D., L. L. D. The school building at Indiana is pronounced by Dr. Wickersham, Supt. of Public Instruction, to be "probably the best building of the kind in the United States." Professor Collier carries with him to his new field of labor, the best wishes of a large circle of friends and admirers both from Bellefonte and the institution which leaves

THE GLASS WORKS.—Below we publish a report of the meeting held by the owners, creditors, and lessors of the Bellefonte Glass Works held on Monday. Messrs. Schad, Seigwarth & Co. have already commenced building a new blast furnace, and they will soon be able to manufacture more glass than ever. We are heartily glad that this arrangement has been made, because Schad, Seigwarth & Co., by their hard labor, close attention to business and honesty, have established themselves in the confidence of the community and proved themselves the right men in the right place. Here is the report:

At a meeting of the creditors, the firm of Schad, Seigwarth & Co., and the owners of the Bellefonte Glass Works held in the office of Alexander & Bower on the 24th day of May, 1875, D. G. Bush was appointed President, and Edward Blanchard Secretary. The object of the meeting was stated by Mr. Hoy, and after a statement made by Mr. Schad, of the cost of an additional blast the following resolution was offered by Mr. Blanchard and seconded by E. C. Humes, and passed by a separate vote of the present owners of the Bellefonte Glass Works

The principal portion of the creditors being present, the following resolution was offered by Mr. Alexander, and passed.

Resolved, At a meeting of the creditors of Schad, Siegwarth & Co., that we hereby agree to extend the time of payment of the several amounts due us by them, for the term of one year, eighteen and twenty-four months, one-third to be paid in one year, one-third in eighteen months and one-third in twenty-four months, on condition that the owners of the real estate will put in a blast in their furnace and the said Schad, Siegwarth & Co. continue to operate the said Glass Works for the period above mentioned, and on condition that in case the said Schad, Seigwarth & Co. after a trial of two blasts conclude not to continue operating the said Glass Works, that they without preferance to any creditor make an assignment for the benefit of all creditors.

Resolved, That the present owners of the Bellefonte Glass Works hereby agree to accept the proposition of Messrs. Schad, Siegwarth & Co., requesting an advance not exceeding $1500 to be expended in procuring a blast provided the extension asked be granted by their creditors.

This combined action of the owners and creditors will enable the firm of Schad, Siegwarth & Co. to commence business immediately and put the works in full operation.

D. G. BUSH, Prest.

EDMUND BLANCHARD, Sec.

DEATH OF THADDEUS BREW.—With sorrow we record the death of Mr. Thaddeus Brew, an old and respected citizen, which occurred on Monday the 17th ult. Deceased was born in Kilrush, County Clare, Ireland, on the 22d of February, 1786, being at the time of his death in the ninetieth year of his age. He was married on his twenty-fifth birth day, in Dysart, to Mary Curtin, an aunt of John, Roland and Ex-Governor Curtin, and on the 22d of April, 1831, sailed with his wife and three children to for America, arriving in Bellefonte the following June, where he had resided ever since.

He breathed his last about six o'clock on Monday morning, surrounded by a large number of relatives and friends. He had been extremely ill for several weeks, and early in the winter had received two paralytic strokes, the second one prostrating and leaving him entirely helpless. He was up-held throughout his sickness by the spiritual consolations of the Catholic religion administered by Rev. Father Kenny, and his liberated spirit took flight to the unknown World, fortified by the mysterious power of the sacraments of the holy church. He sleeps the sleep of the just in the peace of Christ the Savior. The funeral services took place at St. John's Church, on Wednesday, May 19. Solemn requiem mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Kenny who preached a powerfully impressive sermon. The place of interment was St John's Catholic Cemetery. His last words were "God's will be done."

God's will be done—the last words he spoke,—
God's will be done—the last throb of his heart
The humble, consecrated utterance
Of life's last act, of faith, of hope and love,
Thank God; thank God;
But we did wonder not,
His life's one thought was that dear blessed Will.
How oft' did we hear it in his word,
Of scared truth, of free and glorious faith;
How ott' did we read it in his acts,
Of Holy penance, of sweet charity.

MEETING FOR RELIEF OF OSCEOLA SUFFERERS.—Pursuant to a call from the Chief Burgess, a meeting of the citizens of Bellefonte was held in the court house Friday morning, May 21, at 8 o'clock. An organization was effected by calling Gen. James A. Beaver to the chair and D. S. Keller to the office of Secretary, the telegram of the Burgess of Osceola was read by the chairman. Voted that a committee of three from each ward be appointed to solicit contribution of provisions, and that meantime the meeting resolved itself into a committee of the whole, to furnish provisions to be sent by the train leaving at 11 A. M. and by any future train carrying provisions.

John Irwin, Jr., was elected Treasurer of the fund for money relief.

Voted that any bills contracted by the Burgess be paid out of the funds to be hereafter subscribed.

Voted that the meeting authorize a telegram that a car is being loaded, and that Bellefonte will receive 100 homeless children.

A subscription amounting to about $400 was then taken up on the spot after which the meeting adjourned to act as a committee of the whole on supplies. D. S. KELLER, Secretar

——Soda Water only 5 cents, at Zeller's Drug Store.

——An adjourned session of the meeting for the relief of the Osceola and Snow Shoe sufferers, was held in the Court House, on Monday evening, May 24, at 7½ o'clock P. M., president Beaver in the chair.

——The Democratic aspirants for office at the fall election, are, as far as heard from, as follows:

SHERIFF.—George Hoffer, Potter twp; Henry Keller, Harris; Levi W. Munson, Philipsburg; John Spangler, Centre Hall.

PROTHONOTARY.—Aaron Williams, Bellefonte; Robert G. Brett, Furgerson; Geo. W. Rumbarger, Patton; J. H. Reifsnyder, Penn; J. C. Herring, Gregg.

TREASURER.—David K. Guise, Potter; John Barnhart, Spring; Dr. J. H. Dobbins, Bellefonte: Daniel Musser, Penn; Robert Holmes, Marion.

REGISTER.—John W. Scholl, Miles; W. E. Backfield, Furguson; J. H. Morrison, Bellefonte.

RECORDER.—Nelson A. Lucas, Spring; Henry Beck, Bellefonte.

COMMISSIONER.—J. Newlin Hall, Howard; Samuel Brickly, Howard; John Rishel, Gregg.

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DESTRUCTIVE FIRES IN SNOW SHOE.—Snow Shoe was visited by a dreadful calamity on Thursday last. Fully seventy five thousand dollars worth of property was consumed and twenty five families burnt out of house and home, some of them barely having time to escape with their lives, and saving nothing but what they had on their backs. P. B. Crider & Son lose from $25,000 to $40,000. This includes their valuable saw mill, large stock of sawed lumber, lot of dwelling houses, besides timber standing in the woods that was damaged. The Bellefonte and Snow Shoe Railroad Company also lost heavily. At mine No. 4. all the mine buildings were reduced to ashes. A large boarding house was destroyed, the occupants barely having time to escape, also two other valuble houses. Twelve cars loaded with coal and lumber, that were standing on the track at mine No. 4. were hurnt up. The B & S. Company's saw mill was in great danger and it required the most vigorous efforts of the entire force of the Company's men, in that locality, to save it. The Company also sustained considerable damage along the line of the railroad ties, fences, etc., being consumed. At Hunter's Dale the trestle work was burnt to the ground, and the water-tank on the mountain side was burnt down to the water's edge.

The Snowshoe Co's losses are estimated at least to be $10,000.

The Messrs. Valentine of this place lost a few charcoal beds, and a large crane, along the railroad used for lifting charcoal beds on and off the cars. They also had on the mountain a large lot of wood that was in great danger, and which, if destroyed, would have been an immense loss. Word came on Thursday evening that the "wood job" was in danger and the Valentines promptly sent out fifty men, by special train on Thursday evening, who succeeded in saving it.

This great calamity came upon the people of Snow Shoe like an avalanche, unexpected and almost unawares. The mountains were known to be on fire in various localities, but were not considered near enough to the settlements to be dangerous. The fire that caused all the above damage was noticed in the afternoon, north west of Snow Shoe, some three or four miles away. The wind was blowing a strong gale and in less than half an hour was down upon them. Besides the losses recounted above, an immense amount of standing timber was destroyed. At Hunter's Dale there was a very pretty little house situated in the picturesque valley below the station belonging to William Hugg. The fire fiend, as if chased by the furies, bore down upon it and in a twinkling, almost, it was enveloped in flames. Mr. Hugg was away at the time, and the wife and children only saved themselves by rushing into the creek (Wallace's Run) close by. While rushing through the flames, Mrs. Hugg received some severe burns about the head and neck. Everything was destroyed, nothing was saved, and there was no insurance. When the father returned in the evening he found only his family and the ashes of the pleasant home he had left in the morning. We learn that a large boarding house at Holmes' mill was also destroyed, but by a great exertion the mill was saved.

SPRING HAS COME.

OLIVER WENDELL HOLMES.

The sunbeams, lost for half a year,
Slant through my pane their morning rays;
For dry Northwesters, cold and clear,
The East blows in its thin blue haze.

And first the snowdrop's bells are seen,
Then close against the sheltering wall
The tulip's horn of dusky green,
The peony's dark unfolding ball.

The golden-chaliced crocus burns;
The long narcissus-blades appear;
The cone-headed hyacinth returns,
And lights her blue-flamed chandelier.

The willow's whistling lashes, wrung
By the wild winds of gusty March,
With sallow leaflets lightly strung,
Are swaying by the tufted larch.

The elms have robed their slender spray
With full-blown flower and embryo leaf;
Wide o'er the clasping arch of day
Soars like a cloud their hoary chief.

See the proud tulip's flaunting cup,
That flames in glory for an hour,—
Behold it withering—then look up,—
How meek the forest monarch's flower!

When wake the violets, Winter dies;
When sprout the elm-buds, Spring is near,
When lilacs blossom, Summer cries,
"Bud, little rose! the Spring is here!"

The windows blush with fresh bouquets,
Cut with the May-dew on their lips;
The radish all its bloom displays,
Pink as Aurora's finger-tips.

Nor less the flood of light that showers
On beauty's changed corolla-shades,—
The walks are gay as bridal bowers
With rows of many-petalled maids.

—Wild filly from the mountain-side,
Doomed to the close and chafing thills,
Lend me thy long, untiring stride
To seek with thee thy western hills!

I hear the whispering voice of Spring,
The thrush's trill, the catbird's cry,
Like some poor bird with prisoned wing
That sits and sings, but longs to fly.

Oh, for one spot of living green,—
One little spot where leaves can grow,—
To love unblamed, to walk unseen,
To dream above, to sleep below!

THE AURORA.—This is the name of the new Arctic Soda Fountain lately put into the Drug Store of Mr. F. P. Green in the Bush House block. No drug store in this town or county was ever graced with such a beautiful structure as Green's Aurora Soda Fountain. Its substantial and graceful elegance is only equalled by the beauty of the material of which it is constructed, and the elegant finish of the same. It is thirty-three inches in length, twenty-three in width, and twenty seven inches high. The bar is of white Italian marble; the body, of American Bardillo with panels and cover of Tenessee marble; and the cap, surmounting the whole, is one solid piece of Tennessee marble. The top corners are beveled, each surmounted by an elaborate silver plate and scroll, each plate bearing a beautifully engraved Arctic and Tropical scene. Twenty choice syrups are kept on draught, all the popular mineral waters, besides that celebrated, healthy, national beverage known as "Peruvian Beer," which is retailed at five cents per glass.

——The next session of the Presbyterian Union Sabbath School society will be held in Unionville, beginning tomorrow (Thursday) and ending on Friday evening following. The following card from the management of the society, we publish by request:

Speakers are engaged to address the Convention. Each school in the county is invited to send two delegates, one of them the superintendent if possible. Preachers are delegates. Their participation is earnestly desired. To secure entertainment, all delegates who expect to attend must forward their names, to Dr. J. M. BLAIR, Fleming P. O., Pa. All will be sure to bring their Bibles. Pastors and superintendents will please give two weeks' notice of the Convention.

Come with us, brethren, and with God's blessing, the Unionville Convention shall be the best one we have yet held. JOHN HAMILTON, Pres't.
D. S. KELLER, Secretary.

——Major George N. Hale, a member of General Beaver's staff, and for two years past a student in the the law department of Columbia College, was, last week, admitted to the practice of law in New York city. Out of one hundred students who were examined for admission, Major Hale was one of seven who succeeded in passing the examination. The diplomas were awarded to those who stood the ordeal, by Hon. David Dudley Field.

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Soda water only 5 cents at Zeller's Drug Store.

MARRIED

On Wednesday of last week, by Justice Gephart, Mr. Edward Parks was united in wedlock to Mrs Sally Waltz, all of Bellefonte.

In Ferguson township, May 20, 1875, by Joseph Gates, Esq., William Masterson to Miss Mahala S. Garner, both of Ferguson twp.

In Philipsburg, on the 18th inst., by Rev. T. M. Switzer, Mr. William Thomas and Miss Margaret J. Crain, both of Clearfield county, Pa.

At Unionville, on the 23rd inst., by Rev. J. R. V. Hughes, Mr. Edward Shope to Miss Lana Davis, of Unionville, Pa.

DIED.

"Mighty ones, Love and Death!
Ye are strong in this world of ours,"

In Boggs twp., on the 19th inst., of cancer, Mr. Andrew Fletcher, aged about 84 years.

Deceased was a generous-hearted, public spirited man and is mourned by a large circle of friends. A very large concourse of neighbors and friends attended the funeral sevices at Messiah's Church on Thursday last.

At Beaver Mills, Pa., H. Prentiss, son of D H. and R. A. Chandler aged 17 mont